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ELIZABETH THOMPSON, (lately returned from Scotland), is requested to communicate this morning with C. Dubois Mason, barrister, Five Sisters Block, Government street, Victoria. jy13

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Court Northern Light No. 5935 will be open for a few minutes only on Thursday evening, July 14, to receive dues. Regular routine business is postponed until further notice.
By order
JAMES MARCH,
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VACCINATION
Owing to the non-arrival of a large consignment of Pure Fresh Lymph, ordered from the East
C. E. JONES
Is reluctantly obliged to disappoint his customers for a couple of days.
Due notice will be given when the Vaccine arrives.
The public can then rely upon the pure article at the P. P. P. P., 36 Government Street jy13

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Japanese Goods, Tea, Pickles, Etc.
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NOTICE:
Bankrupt Stock for Sale
Tenders will be received by the undersigned until 6 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, July 20th, 1892, for the store, stock and book debts of the estate of A. D. and E. F. Campbell Sardis, B. C.
This stock, which is all new and in good condition, consist of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, and hardware. This is a good opportunity for any person wishing to start a business, as there is no other store at Sardis, which is situated five miles from Chilliwhack, in the centre of the best farming section in B.C. Stock lists, book debts and all information may be had by applying to the undersigned, and the stock may be seen at the store. Terms, ½ cash, balance in two equal payments at 3 and 6 months, on approved security.
S. H. RIGGS,
Assignee,
jy9 New Westminster, B.C.

THE PORT QUARANTINED.

Vancouver Exhibits a Spirit of Malevolence that Surprises Even Victorians.

Dominion Government Laws on the Subject and How They Will Operate in this Case.

Two More Deaths From Smallpox and Several New Cases Reported.

Telegraphic advices were received from Vancouver yesterday, stating that from 11 o'clock in the morning, a strict quarantine had been declared against Victoria, and further, that the Vancouver Board of Health was co-operating with those of Seattle, New Westminster and Nanaimo, in the endeavor to shut off traffic between those ports and this city. Needless to say the information was received here with surprise and indignation. Had the Victoria Board of Health, a few weeks ago, declared a quarantine against Vancouver, it is safe to say there would now be no disease here, for the cases from which the threatened epidemic sprang, are said to be directly traceable to Vancouver. But people here supposed the Terminal City authorities were alive to the emergency, and would take care to strictly enforce the home quarantine laws. It can be clearly proven, and will be too, when the time comes, that the most crass negligence was exhibited in Vancouver in permitting affected persons to go abroad.

A CASE IN POINT.

Steve Marsh, who is now down with the disease, was employed in Vancouver, actually nursing one of the unfortunate women who was taken down with smallpox. According to his own statement, made to a gentleman in this city, who can be had at any time, he held the woman in his arms the very day before she died, and yet no sooner had her body been removed than he was permitted to go at large. He came to Victoria and was working here for Mr. Buchan, the fresco artist, in the Odd fellow's hall, and, as one of the other painters on the same work is also down, there can be no doubt that the man carried the disease. Could there be anything more careless or negligent than allowing this man to leave the quarantine station and go where he wished, whether he carried infection abroad or not? And yet Vancouver was proudly boasting that every precaution was being taken! This is one case, and there are others which can also be cited.

INFECTIVE CLOTHES.

Four cases of smallpox have been taken out of one block in this city, where there has been a dressmaking establishment, and the charge is directly made that the infection was carried there on some clothes sent down here from Vancouver to be re-made. Positive evidence of the correctness of the report cannot be procured, but two facts were learned which tend to prove the correctness of the theory. One of the unfortunate women of Dupont street, Vancouver, was taken down with the smallpox and when she was removed to the quarantine hospital, all her clothing was ordered to be destroyed. Strange to say, the orders were not carried out. Instead of having the dresses, etc., burned, as should have been done, they were sent down to another woman in Victoria, and were by her given out to be made over. It is said they were fumigated. Perhaps they were, but fumigation of clothing infected with the germs of smallpox is not enough, and no sanitary officer in the world who knows anything about his business, would permit such an occurrence.

QUARANTINE.

The authorities say that the Boards of Health of the Mainland cities, have not the power to prevent vessels from Victoria landing passengers and freight after the Dominion quarantine regulations have been complied with. The C. P. R. Company have given instructions to Capt. Rudlin to land passengers, etc, as usual until further orders. When the Sound steamers came in last night none of the passengers or crew who wished to return were permitted to land. Captain Roberts, the Purser and a health officer from Port Townsend were the only ones who came ashore. The health officer refused to allow the return mails to go on board, the Puget Sound Board of Health having ordered that all mail from Victoria be fumigated in an air tight room for 24 hours. Postmaster Shakespeare has wired to Ottawa for instructions. No Sound mail was sent out last night, and probably there will be none to-night.

SHUT OFF THE SUPPLY.

Speaking of the action of the city of Vancouver in declaring a quarantine against Victoria, a prominent citizen said yesterday to a COLONIST reporter, "After all, I don't know but what it was the best thing that could have happened. The fact of the matter is that if the source of the supply of the disease is shut off, we will soon get rid of what cases we now have, and there will be no more reason for a further outbreak, but so long as tourists and others are permitted to come here from Vancouver we don't know who is safe."

The above simply voices the sentiments of a great many Victorians who have gone into the matter carefully. They have no doubt the disease came from Vancouver, and say that if, in the first place, a strict quarantine had been enforced against the Terminal City, there would now be no threatened epidemic here.

NOT FROM VANCOUVER SUGAR.

It has been stated on the streets during the past few days, and stated most directly and positively, too, that one of the ways in which the smallpox was brought to Victoria was by means of the sugar packages from the refinery at Vancouver. It was said to be a fact that there had been several employes at the refinery taken down with the disease, notably one man whose work it was to "head" the barrels before shipment, and the presumption was that the infection had been carried across the channel in this way. As is usual, however, with such rumors when traced to the fountain head, this one was found to be lacking very much in truth; and certainly the refinery people are very positive in their statement that none of their employes have been ill, as the following telegram from them will show:

"Rumor connecting smallpox with this Refinery is absolutely without foundation We have not had a single case of even ordinary sickness, and we are taking every possible precaution by compulsory vaccination and otherwise to prevent slightest risk. Please give this widest publicity in your paper."
B. C. SUGAR REFINERY.

FOR DISINFECTING SHIPS.

Those who are aware of the incompleteness of the apparatus for disinfecting steamships and other vessels arriving at this port, have become very indignant at the neglect on the part of the Dominion Government in not acting promptly to supply the deficiency. As long ago as last year the most urgent representations were made, asking that something be done; but no action was taken by the Government until over two weeks ago, when a man was sent here with a di-oxide machine, suitable for the purpose. But the machine, as landed on the C. P. N. Company's wharf, is no good. It has to be put on board a suitable steamer, which may go out to a ship when necessary, and be worked from alongside. The Dominion Government has not refused to purchase a boat, but has not done so for the reason that it considers the price very much too high. There was only one craft available, and it failed to pass inspection. The next best boat would cost something like $10,000, and the Ottawa officials do not seem inclined to pay that much. It is admitted, on all sides, that something must be done, and in order to stir the department up a little, the following telegram was yesterday sent by Mr. E. G. Prior, M.P.:

Hon. Sir John Abbott, Ottawa: Quarantine matters here at standstill. Man with fumigating apparatus been here two weeks, and no signs of vessel being bought for purpose. Serve al suitable boats offered for sale. Great indignation expressed on all sides at apathy and dilatoriness of Government. No proper means for fumigating vessels yet, although two steamships already arrived with smallpox on board. Please authorize purchase or lease of suitable vessel at once. Cost should not count in case of this kind. Answer.
E. G. PRIOR.

DOMINION QUARANTINE RULES.

For the benefit of a great many who are now interested in the matter of the Dominion Government quarantine laws, the subjoined summary is given of a proclamation issued July 18, 1887, by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. This proclamation says that no passenger shall be permitted to land from any steamship until declared free from infectious disease or well-founded suspicion thereof, nor unless the quarantine officer is satisfied that such person may be allowed to land without danger to the public health. Any persons ill with cholera, smallpox, etc., shall be landed at the quarantine station for treatment, and the vessel shall be disinfected and allowed to proceed or be detained in such manner as may be deemed expedient by the medical officer, for the protection of the public health. No steerage passenger shall be allowed to pass the inspection station without furnishing evidence of having been vaccinated within the seven years previous or of having had the smallpox, and in case there has been a case of smallpox on board during the voyage this regulation shall also apply to every passenger on board. These regulations, while specially issued to refer to Grosse Isle and the St. Lawrence, are also to apply to all regularly organized quarantine ports in the Dominion.

The regulations above briefly stated are the only ones Dr. McNaughton Jones, the quarantine medical officer here, has had to go by. Talking to a COLONIST reporter yesterday, Dr. Jones stated that he had received from the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, a communication by mail, requesting him to explain why he had not quarantined the Japanese who came over on the Empress of Japan some time ago, when there was a case of smallpox on board. Dr. Jones said he had replied to this letter, stating that the Japs were not quarantined for the reason that they had been located in the forecastle of the ship while the Chinamen were in the after part and during the entire voyage the first saloon passengers were between the Japs and the Chinese, so that there could be no danger of them being affected. Another thing, said the doctor, is that the smallpox did not break out from the Chinese, or the Japanese either, for that matter, but was first to make its appearance amongst the men who had been handling the freight brought over on the Empress, and from this one would be reasonably inclined to suppose that it was the freight that was affected. Except in the case above mentioned, when the Japs were not quarantined, the regulations have in every respect been complied with.

VACCINATING PASSENGERS.

Some time last summer Dr. Jones, Quarantine Officer at this port, succeeded in getting an order issued by the C.P.R. Steamship Company that all passengers before going on board should be vaccinated, or else show proof of having been vaccinated within seven years previous, or of having had the smallpox. The regulation was, it is said, issued in due course, but, according to report, it has not in all cases been complied with. As regards the quarantine laws in Canada, it may be said that they are practically the same as those in force in England and in other countries, except Italy, where quarantine is enforced for the period of incubation of the smallpox.

IN DURANCE WORSE THAN VILE.

Since the smallpox patients have been removed from the Clarence Hotel rooms a strict quarantine has been kept on the building and no one is allowed to go in or come out. Not that anyone is very particularly anxious to go in, but there are some 18 people inside who would like very much, indeed, to come out, and cannot, because the officer in charge won't let them. However, all are reported well and plenty of good food is supplied at regular intervals, so no one will be any the worse for the enforced confinement. The whole place has been well fumigated and aired.

EVENTS DECLARED OFF.

In order to do away with the chances of infection as much as possible, a number of meetings, and other events which were to have taken place, have been declared off. Amongst other announcements are the following: Pride of the Ridge Lodge, I. O. G. T., No. 37, will have no more meetings until further orders. The Victoria Athletic club picnic has been indefinitely postponed. C. F. Wilgard, manager of the "Natural Gas" company," has cancelled his dates at The Victoria theatre. Court Northern Light, No. 5935, A. O. F., will be open for a few minutes only, on Thursday evening, to receive dues, regular routine business will be postponed until further notice. No more meetings of the Salvation Army will be allowed until further notice. The Royal Templars of Temperance will not meet again until further notice.

WILL BE REMOVED.

When the regulations were issued that all smallpox patients, no matter who they were, would have to be removed to the Quarantine Station, it was stated in some quarters that this would only apply to the poor, and that prominent and influential citizens who might be stricken down would be excepted. This is not the case. The law has been made for the rich as well as for the poor, and will be accordingly enforced. The Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Hon. Forbes G. Vernon, who is one of the patients, will be removed at once, and he is not offering any objections whatever. The general public should dispel the idea at once that any different treatment will be accorded, no matter who the patients are. This is not a case where there is any respecting of persons.

ONE CASE IN CHINATOWN.

It was reported to the authorities, yesterday, that there was one case of smallpox in Chinatown, and an effort was at once made to locate the afflicted Celestial. Before the officers were on the ground, however, he had been spirited away, and, it is supposed, was taken to one of the ranches in the neighborhood of the city. The general opinion expressed in the city, and expressed, too, in the plainest language, is that something should be done immediately in the way of establishing a strict quarantine on the Chinese quarter, and, so soon as possible, a thorough inspection of all premises should be made, while, needless to say, vaccination should be systematic and compulsory. The delay of the authorities in taking these necessary steps is causing some alarm which will not be abated until action is commenced.

THE ALBERT HEAD STATION.

A report received last evening from the Albert Head station says that the majority of the patients are getting along very well and some of them are now convalescent, so that in a short time they will be able to assist in the care of their fellow sufferers. No more patients are to be allowed in the Albert Head building.

AT THE JUBILEE QUARANTINE.

At the Jubilee quarantine, too, the patients are progressing famously, thanks to the good care given them. The rules laid down for the prevention of the further circulation of the dread disease are to be rigidly enforced. President Davies will permit of no half-way measures, and will act only on the advice of his medical associates. Yesterday his attention was called to the fact that Dr. Crompton, though appointed to take charge of the smallpox hospital, and supposed by the hospital authorities to remain on the ground day and night, was also attending to the afflicted in all parts of the city. President Davies at once saw Dr. Milne and Mayor Beaven, and was informed that Dr. Crompton was receiving $20 per day from the city, and they thought should look after all the city patients. President Davies does not believe in allowing anyone who might communicate the infection to move about among the citizens, and consequently will insist upon the physician attending the patients at the hospital remaining within the quarantine limits until the last case has been disposed of. Unless Dr. Crompton can do this, another doctor will be installed this morning. Expressmen, too, and all others who are brought in contact with the suffering, are to be dealt with fearlessly. Any vehicles bringing a patient to the hospital will be detained, with those in charge, until the period of incubation has elapsed. Attendants caring for the suffering, on the completion of their work, will be detained in a proper retreat until all fear of their carrying contagion is dispelled.

No lack of accommodation will be permitted to take the hospital directors by surprise. There is still plenty of room in the "L" building, to which are to be built at once separate wards, with cots and conveniences for pay patients, several of whom have already come forward.

FRESH VACCINE ASSURED.

Drs. Davie and Hasell yesterday inoculated two heifers, and about one week hence will have a plentiful supply of fresh bovine lymph. The idea of establishing a vaccine farm at home will be universally commended, as no longer the fears of delay or of finding the vaccine ineffectual on arrival, will be before the eyes of the public.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Runaway Artillerymen.

KINGSTON, Ont., July 12.—Yesterday afternoon three soldiers from A Battery made their escape across the border.

Fatal Runaway.

TAMWORTH, Ont., July 12.—While John Wilson, an aged farmer of Camden township, was driving to church with his son and the latter's family the horses ran away, upsetting the wagon. Mr. Wilson, Sr., was killed, Mrs. Wilson fatally injured, and the others badly hurt.

Quebec Provincial Irregularities.

QUEBEC, July 12.—The Local Government has decided to repudiate contracts entered into by the Mercier Government with Jean Langlais, stationer, for supplying stationery and 5,000 copies of the Sylviculteur Canadien. The Ministers also refuse to recognize letters of credit, amounting to $85,000, irregularly issued by Mr. Mercier to the Langeliers. Most of them are already being discounted by the Langeliers at the banks. The Ministers have decided that members of the Civil Service must either devote their whole attention to public business or resign, and Hon. Rosaire Thibaudeau will have to give up his senatorship or the office of sheriff.

The Long Vacation.

The long vacation in the Victoria Law Courts commences to-day, and will not terminate till October 1. Their Lordships will have a rest, and the legal profession generally will also be able to relax their efforts on behalf of their litigious clients.

For second-hand furniture, go to J. L. Farwig, 123 Fort street.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Contract for Repairs to Steamer Quadra Awarded the Albion Iron Works.

Seizure of the Coquitlam—Satisfactory Correspondence with U. S. Government.

Relief for the St. John, N. F., Sufferers—Trouble with the Smugglers.

(From our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, July 11.—Prompt representations by the Dominion Government into the Coquitlam matter have proved effective. Although an official report of the seizure has not reached Washington, it is understood the United States Government informed Lord Salisbury that an application for the release of the vessel, to the District Court of Alaska, would be favorably received, provided suitable security were furnished. This the Federal authorities promise shall be forthcoming.

The terrible calamity at St. Johns, Newfoundland, awakened the deepest symathy in Eastern Canada. To-day, the cabinet decided to send the Government steamer Newfoundland, with a cargo of suitable provisions. Governor Daly, of Halifax, was requested to superintend the dispatch of the vessel.

The contract for repairing the Quadra was to-day awarded to the Albion Iron Works, the lowest tenderers. Ten tenders were received.

The Government decided not to grant a commission to investigate the complaints of the Alberta ranchers.

Reports of the conflict between the cruiser Constance and smuggling schooners in the gulf are hourly expected

FROM MONTREAL.

To Aid the Suffering Newfoundlanders—The C. P. R. Japan Service—Traffic Receipts.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

MONTREAL, July 12.—A relief boat will leave Montreal for Newfoundland on Thursday next, laden with provisions. A thousand dollars have been subscribed by two citizens and telegraphed to-day. The city will vote a sum of money, and public subscriptions will be opened.

It is rumored in railway circles that the C. P. R. will shortly acquire the Anchor Line steamship City of Rome for the Japan route. The Fangoria, of the Guion line, is also mentioned as a possible purchase.

A young Montreal artist named Sagour, has obtained one of the chief prizes, out of three hundred competitors, in the chief art academy at Paris.

The body of Lee, the last of the Minnie Wa Wa victims, was found last night opposite Quebec. He will be brought back to Montreal for interment.

A fireman named Garaud, while getting on a hook and ladder that was returning from a fire, slipped, the wheels passing over his body. He died shortly after.

A fight last night in the St. Maurice skating rink, between Dick Guthrie and "Black Frank," was stopped by the police after two vicious rounds. It is understood the fight will be resumed near Lachine.

The alleged blockade of elevators with half-dried grain from Manitoba, is denied by the C.P.R. officials. They state that the total quantity of low grade Manitoba grain, now stored in the elevators, is only 50,000 bushels, and is no larger than in any previous year.

The earnings of the C.P.R. for the traffic week ending July 7th, were $415,000. For same week last year they were $374,000.

ST. JOHNS SCOURGE.

Extent of the Damage, Amount of Insurance, Help Forwarded.

HALIFAX, July 12.—The loss by the great fire at St. Johns, Newfoundland, has been carefully estimated at $20,000,000, the insurance not being over $3,000,000. This city has already provided for the sending of $11,000 as a relief fund to St. Johns. Every town in the province will hold meetings to provide for contributions for the fund.

HAMILTON, July 12—In reply to a message from the mayor of this city, a despatch was received from the chairman of the municipal council of St. Johns, Newfoundland, stating that 5,000 people were actually destitute. Forest fires near by were causing much alarm for the remainder of the city. The principal provision merchants were burned out, and food will be scarce for the next two weeks.

MANITOBA CROPS.

Summary of the Latest Official Bulletin—Everything Promising Well.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 12.—Crop Bulletin, No. 34, of the Manitoba Department of Agriculture, has been issued. It summarizes the returns received from regular correspondents of the department under date of July 1st. Regarding wheat, the bulletin says: The crop promises to be of the best. The cold weather during part of June has thrown it from a week to ten days behind last year, but it is doing well, and farmers are jubilant over the prospects of a good crop. Oats and barley are doing well, and there is every indication of the heaviest crop in years. The root crop will be poor. Live stock is in excellent condition on account of the abundance of good grasses.

B.C. Agricultural Association.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the B.C. Agricultural Association, in the secretary's office, Douglas street, last evening, it was decided to hold the show this year on October 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8. The programme will be more attractive than ever, and, with the extra facilities afforded exhibitors, there can be no doubt that on the dates chosen the event of the year will be liberally patonized.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Interesting Indian Gathering—Accident on a Ferry Steamer—No Smallpox at Nanaimo.

"The Glorious Twelfth"—School Teachers' Examinations—Matters at Galiano Island.

(Specials to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, July 12. — J. W. Hunter, charged with forgery, was remanded this morning. The charge was having changed the date of a $118 due bill from January 1889 to January 1891.

The Victoria Orangemen may thank the Fates that they were prevented coming to Vancouver, yesterday. All day there was a heavy, persistent down-pour of rain, which even dampened the buoyant spirits of the Orangemen. The procession was large, grand and imposing, but the flopping flags, limp, bedraggled banners and soggy drum-heads detracted considerably from the effects. Vancouver, Westminster, Nanaimo, Chilliwhack, Ladners, Sapperton, Sumas and other points were well represented, each lodge bringing an excellent band and well uniformed company. Marshalls Bell and White led the procession, looking very well, indeed, in their handsome regulation costumes and bright regalia. The entire gathering rendezvoused at Brockton Point. After lunch, which was provided by the ladies of Zion Church, the weather continued so monotonous that an adjournment was made to the Market Hall, where speeches were made by prominent brethren. The orators of the day were W. Johnson, chairman, Grand Master, Westminster; Dr. Cooper, Grand Chaplain, and Dr. Reid, Westminster; Wm. Ross, Sapperton; and D. Donaldson, Vancouver, an excellent speaker, who has been behind the scenes for a quarter of a century and hails from Ottawa. The brethren did not disperse until a delightful evening had been spent in dancing, etc.

Rev. J. B. Good, of Nanaimo, returned yesterday from Hope and Yale, where he attended the gathering of Indians there. He was the founder of the Yale and Lytton mission, some 15 years ago, and has not visited the station for eight or ten years. His former people were therefore much pleased to see him again. The religious and other exercises passed off very successfully. On Thursday the closing exercises of All Hallow's Girls' School, of which Miss Moody is governess, was held in the presence of a good attendance of clergymen and others. The girls showed great proficiency. Bishop Hill, Revs. Messrs. Croucher, Small and Good remained during Friday at Yale, and on Saturday morning went down to Hope, where Bishop Sillitoe was. Upwards of 200 Indians were assembled there to meet the clergymen. They were encamped according to their villages, and, with flags flying from every camp, made a pretty sight. The Indian girls' school there, under Miss Moody, a volunteer worker, was examined and showed the progress they had made under this instruction. On Sunday there were several celebrations and a very hearty service. There were quite a number of baptisms. Confirmation services were held on Monday, and upwards of 30 received that rite. The gathering was to disperse after having an afternoon's sport at various games.

A carload of cartridges have arrived for the big gun of the Warspite.

J. D. Lynch, of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, arrived to-day to investigate the census claims.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 12.—Heavy rains during the last two days have interfered with cherry and raspberry picking and if the wet weather continues the crop will be seriously damaged.

The Indian gathering at Hope, in connection with the Church of England is over and was a great success. Many Indians were baptized, married and confirmed.

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Westminster and Vancouver Tramway Company, was held this afternoon in this city. The old board of directors was re-elected, and will meet in a day or two to elect their officers.

The meeting of the directors of Westminster Southern railway, which was to have been held to-day, has been postponed till Saturday.

A man named Robinson, while chopping a tree yesterday at Mud Bay, slipped and fell on an axe, cutting his right hand so seriously that he had to be brought to St. Mary's hospital.

Last evening while the ferry steamer Surrey was making a landing on this side of the river, after the arrival of the Great Northern train, she struck a bunch of piles at the outer edge of the slip with such force as to throw the wooden apron on her bow right back on her deck. A young man named Thomas Jeffreys, of Sumas, was sitting on a wood pile in front of the boiler room at the time and a heavy apron fell on top of him, smashing his right leg, and badly bruising his body. He was removed to St. Mary's hospital, where Dr. Walker was obliged, on examination, to amputate the injured leg just below the knee.

A movement is on foot to establish a fruit cannery at Alder Grove.

A public meeting will be held on Wednesday evening to make arrangements for the fall fair. The City Council last night refused to make a money grant.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 12.—On the occasion of Labor Day, which has been fixed for Aug. 20, a large procession of representative labor will parade the principal streets and march to the Caledonian picnic grounds, where sports will be held. Mayor Beaven, of Victoria, has been invited to speak on the political issues of the day. Other gentlemen who have been requested to speak are: Ex-Mayor J. C. Brown, of New Westminster; Mr. T. Howell, of Victoria; D. W. Gordon, M.P., (chairman); Thos. Keith, M.P.P.; Thomas Forster, M.P.P.; T. Boyce; G. Norris; Mayor and Alderman of Victoria, Trade and Labor Council of Victoria, and Vancouver and Coast Seamen's Union.

At a special meeting of the Loyal Lodge of Orangemen, held last evening, it was decided to abandon the excursion to Vancouver to-day, owing to smallpox prevailing in that city. Some of the members claimed the meeting was not legal, and in consequence the members collected slowly this morning, and proceeded according to previous arrangements. There were not half the number went that had intended to do so. Captain Rogers expressed his ability to obtain a clear bill of health from Vancouver, so that the visitors will be put to no inconvenience.

From a private letter received from Reed's Island, news is heard of a shooting affray between two loggers, one of whom, named Ashton, is now lying dangerously wounded in his cabin. Ashton and his partner Charley had a quarrel, which led to blows, when the latter got a gun and fired five shots, one of which took effect in the bottom of the chest bone, inflicting a dangerous wound.

William F. Dodge, who was summoned on a charge of perjury, had his case dismissed, as no evidence could be found showing he had perjured himself.

The moonlight excursion of St. Paul's Institute, which was to have come off this evening, has been postponed on account of unfavorable weather.

S. S. Mexico arrived at Departure Bay this evening, with a large number of passengers and considerable freight bound for Alaska.

PLUMPER'S PASS.

PLUMPER'S PASS, July 13.—Mr. W. J. Wessel, the genial farm agent of Mr. W. S. Pike, of Saturna Island, visited this place on Thursday last, returning next day. He reports things lively just now, more especially with the cattle trade, having at a recent sale sold the bulk of the well known stock of Jerseys (seven in all) at a good figure.

The recent fine weather has given the farmers a good chance of getting in their hay, and to all reports they have made the best use of the time.

Mr. Jim Bennett, of this place, made a business trip to Victoria, on Monday evening last, returning on Wednesday. Mr. Bennett, who is the owner of a large strawberry ranch here, has had a most successful season with his berries, and the average price per pound far exceeded his expectations.

Mr. Wm. Robson, Mrs. Robson and daughter visited Victoria during the past week.

The tug Eva, chartered to carry the baggage, chattels and effects of the Indians from Cowichan to the fishing grounds on the Fraser, and towing some 15 canoes, put in here for the night on Friday last and remained until the following evening. About 100 Indians landed and camped for the night. The whiskey which they brought with them had a telling effect upon their constitution.

and their howls were kept up throughout the entire night, much to the annoyance of the settlers close by. Our worthy Postmaster's garden was the scene of their exploits, and the trick they played upon the potatoes is one which has never been equaled by their white brothers, that of digging them out from beneath, leaving the stalks standing. As peaceful residents of the Pass we are always glad to welcome all travellers who may seek to find a stopping place on these shores, more especially that class of people who fail to understand our language but when our good intentions are abused, good nature imposed upon, and petty pilfering, fighting and drunkenness, and other degrading vices follow, it is high time that something should be done in the matter, in order that a repetition of such conduct may not occur again, and that the neighbors may not be subjected to any more such annoyance.

Mrs. Maclean, and family, of Westminster, arrived here on Saturday morning last, and are visitors at Village Bay.

The election of Trustees for Mayne Island School, took place in the school-room, on Monday last, and everything passed off in a very quiet manner. Mr. A. G. Kempe was voted to the chair, and acted in that capacity in a very deserving manner. The day's doings resulted in the election of Mr. T. Bennett and Mr. J. Bodine.

Mr. Stone, of Galiano, has disposed of his cordwood to the Canoe Pass canneries, and the tug Winnifred has been busy the past few days towing it away.

Mr. Grinamer and Mr. Davidson, both of Pender Island, paid this place a visit on Sunday last, and were delighted with the progress made since their last visit.

Mr. Hooson and Mr. J. Imbert were arrivals on the Wednesday morning's boat from Victoria.

Mr. G. Coutellier arrived from Victoria on Monday morning last, and after spending a few days at this place will proceed to Tumbo Island, where he will stay with friends.

Residents of the islands in the neighborhood of the Pass are invited to send their contributions to the weekly news budget to the COLONIST correspondent at Plumper's Pass, who will promptly forward the same.

CHEMAINUS.

CHEMAINUS, July 11.—As the examinations have closed, the teachers have returned to town. Mr. Kirkendall will take charge of the Oyster school for the ensuing year. They are expecting to spend a very pleasant vacation in the neighborhood.

The Chilian vessel Guinevereis in the harbor for a cargo of lumber, but will not be able to load as the mill has shut down. The main belt in the mill burst a few days ago, and it will be a week or two before a new one can be procured from San Francisco.

Prompt action has been taken to prevent any strangers from landing in the town if supposed to be infected with the smallpox.

Mr. Wm. Smith has purchased lots from Mr. Croft and is now erecting a large residence.

The weather up to this week has been very favorable for the farmers, and they have made good use of their time in harvesting their hay crop.

Friday night's debate at the Good Templar lodge proved the most interesting and exciting of the season.

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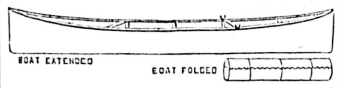

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	6.59	11.10	50	SHAWNIGAN LKE	22	34	4.05	9.14
	6.37	10.58	45	COBBLE HILL	27	41	4.27	9.35
	6.27	10.44	43	McPHERSON'S	29	45	4.37	9.44
	6.15	10.32	40	KOKSILAH	32	48	4.49	9.57
	6.05	10.17	38	DUNCANS	34	52	5.04	10.07
	5.52	10.0	33	COBBLE HILL	39	57	5.19	10.21
	5.32	9.24	28	CHEMAINUS	44	62	5.42	10.42
	5.15	9.15	19	OYSTER BAY SG	53	72	6.22	11.00
	4.45	—	5	NANAIMO	67	75	—	Ar 11.15
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	—	Ar 8.9						Ar 12.1
	—	De 8.10 A						Ar 6.31 P.M

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JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFF.

The Case of Tuck vs. the Corporation Decided by the Chief Justice.

An Action of Especial Interest by Reason of Its Connection With the Recent Deadlock.

This action, which is of considerable interest by reason of its connection with the recent "deadlock" in the City Council, came on for trial before the Chief Justice, without a jury, on the 27th of June last.

It will be remembered that when the question of the appointment of a Water Commissioner for the city was under discussion, Mr. Tuck was one of the applicants, a ballot was taken and Mr. Tuck received seven out of the ten votes cast. Afterwards the Council refused to ratify the minutes of the meeting at which this vote was taken, and declined to permit Mr. Tuck to assume the duties of the office.

Mr. Tuck then brought an action for a month's salary. The case raised a very interesting and important point as to what constituted a valid election under section 93 of the Municipal Act, 1891.

Mr. Bodwell appeared as counsel for Mr. Tuck, and Mr. Taylor for the City.

On Saturday last the Chief Justice decided in favor of Mr. Tuck, and delivered the following written judgment:—

"The plaintiff in this case claims to have been, by a vote of the aldermen in council, elected to the office of City Engineer, Surveyor and Water Commissioner, at a salary of $2,000 per annum, but that the corporation refuse to pay any salary for the month of March, and he sues for a month's salary and for general relief. The corporation allege that the plaintiff never was duly elected; that the vote taken on the 2d of March, in his favor, was not final, but required to be ratified at a further meeting; that no such ratification ever took place; that a mere vote, even if ratified, did not appoint to an office, but required to be communicated to the plaintiff, and to be further embodied in an appointment under the corporate seal; and that no such communication was ever addressed to him nor any such instrument ever executed. And at the trial it was further alleged and proved that at the very next weekly meeting after the 2d of March, namely, on the 9th March, the Council came to a contrary resolution, unfavorable to the appointment of plaintiff. And it was further objected that the plaintiff, even if he were under the circumstances duly elected and appointed, had never qualified, as required by Section 95, of 1891, by giving security and making the declaration there mentioned, could not, therefore, have entered on the duties of the office, and so could not become entitled to any pay, and that his claim for a month's salary must be disallowed.

"As to this last argument, I stated that if it were upheld, and that the proper remedy were in damages, for depriving him of the opportunity of earning salary, or dismissing him without salary, I should, under the prayer for general relief allow amendments to be made in the pleadings to enable that case to be dealt with.

"The sections of the Act of 1891, which are material, are as follows; s 93, 'At the first meeting of the Council in each year, or so soon thereafter as possible, the Council may elect a clerk; water commissioner, surveyor or such other officers necessary, who shall hold office during the pleasure of the council, and may receive such remuneration as the Council shall by by-law appoint' (It is admitted by all that a valid by-law has fixed two thousand dollars as the salary for the three offices combined) (Sec. 94) 'Every election for a municipal officer shall be by ballot. (Sec. 95). All officers shall give security in such manner as the Council shall determine for due performance of service, and shall, before entering on their duties, make the declaration (as therein set forth).' By sec 91, 'Minutes of all proceedings of the Council shall be fairly entered in a book kept for that purpose, and shall be signed by the Mayor (or other person presiding at such meeting).'

"At the regular weekly meeting, in the evening of Wednesday, the second of March last, the choice of a city engineer, surveyor and water commissioner came on to be dealt with. There had been a preliminary meeting of the members of the Council in the morning, at which the various applications, six or seven in number, I think, and testimonials were read and considered, but no resolution was proposed. In the evening the candidates were balloted for by the ten aldermen, the Mayor presiding, but not on that occasion voting. The plaintiff received seven ballots two other candidates receiving the other three ballots between them. The clerk of the council read the numbers; there is a conflict of evidence as to what was said by the mayor, when the result of the ballot was thus announced. According to the recollection of Councillors Devlin and Baker, his words were: 'Then I suppose there is nothing for me to do but to declare Mr. Tuck duly elected,' and this is strongly supported by the memorandum or note made by the city clerk at the time which is 'Mr. Tuck declared to be elected.' And no councillor was called to contradict this or to say even that he could not recollect the mayor having used the word 'elected.' On the other hand the mayor himself, who seems from the first to have had doubts as to the propriety of the choice, says that he very deliberately and of set purpose abstained from using the word 'elected' or any such term, and that he carefully and intentionally confined himself to a repetition of the statement made by the clerk, namely, that Mr. Tuck had received seven votes, not even mentioning the votes cast for the other candidates. And he says (and this is not contradicted) that on the 9th of March when the question of Mr. Tuck's appointment was again brought forward, he denied the accuracy of the clerk's note, and denied having used the word 'elected,' and refused to sign the minutes as copied by the clerk from his own note into the minute book of the Council, and did not in fact sign until the 25th of April, and then only with a marginal memorandum correcting the minute in accordance with his view.

"Of course this want of agreement of recollection is much to be regretted, but in my opinion it is very immaterial. Whatever phrase the mayor used, his declaration was not the election. It could only have been a declaration of the election: the announcement of a fact already consummated. Such declaration might have been followed by a sealed instrument of appointment; by a bond or other security from the elected candidate, and by the declaration by him, mentioned in S 95; or further by the formal instrument of the plaintiff into his office. All these would be merely consequent on and could not be any part of the election itself. I think that the election is complete so soon as the individual voters are concerned as soon as all the ballots are thrown into the box; and I think it is complete so far as the Council as a body are concerned, so soon as the result of the poll is declared.

"That seems to be Mr. Rogers' view of the completion of a vote at Parliamentary elections (2 Reg. El. 661), and in other parts of his work the election is treated as consummated before any return made, which, indeed, appears almost necessary from the nature of the thing. Here it was not the mayor who elected. He had, in fact, nothing to do with the election. He did not even vote upon it, the contingency mentioned in section 81 not having arisen. I do not know that the return is any part of a Parliamentary election strictly taken, although a member could not sit until formally returned. At any rate there could not be here anything exactly analagous to the return at a Parliamentary election, which is made by the sheriff, after taking the votes of the constituency to the clerk of the crown office; for here the election authority, the returning authority, and the authority requiring to be informed, are all one and the same body—the members of the Council elect; they alone ascertain the result; they alone take cognisance of it, and have to act on it. As soon therefore as the unchallenged result of the poll is made known to the Council (it seems immaterial by whom) the favored candidate seems to be in the position of an elected and returned M. P. who is an M. P. before he takes the oaths.

"The case of a ballot cast by any voter by mistake in favor of a candidate other than the one for whom he intended to vote is mentioned by Rogers as possibly capable of rectification, though the method is not clearly laid down. But no mistake or misapprehension is alleged here. Seven aldermen out of ten voted and intended to vote for Mr. Tuck on the 2nd March, though it appears some of them were anxious a day or so later to reconsider their vote. No method appears to be provided by which such reconsideration can be effected, at least so as to annul the election of the 2nd March.

"It appears to have been at first supposed that such an election was not binding unless confirmed at another meeting of the Council. Nothing has been pointed out in the statutes which supports that view. It is true the records of the proceedings are not left merely to consist of the rough rapid notes taken by the clerk at the time. By S. 91 minutes of the proceedings are to be fairly (that is without erasures or interlineations) entered into a book and signed by the chairman of such meeting. Ordinarily it is provided that the signature be affixed at the next meeting and may be the signature of the chairman of such meeting, and further that the minutes so signed shall be receivable in evidence of what took place (which does not, however, mean conclusive evidence). None of these provisions occur in the Municipal Act, 1891, but no failures to comply with any of these provisions could affect the validity of a resolution regularly passed. Otherwise the neglect of the clerk to make a fair copy, the death or the illness or the obstinacy of a chairman might indefinitely delay or even totally defeat the operation of a resolution passed by seven councillors out of ten.

"I think the minutes, even with the alteration proposed by the Mayor, sufficiently prove the election. Of course the Council could undo what they have done. But this could not be effected by simply abstaining from stating in their minutes that the Mayor had declared a due election. If there had been, as I think, an election, the plaintiff acquired thereby certain rights. The statute directs that the person elected shall hold the office. The Corporation could only put an end to this right in the manner pointed out in section 93. They are to declare their pleasure that he cease to serve, and they pay him a month's salary. Perhaps it would have been more regular if a formal deed of appointment had been made out under the corporate seal and handed to the plaintiff if it had been intended by the Corporation that he might act. I do not know that that was necessary; if so, it was the duty of the Corporation to execute the deed. The argument now is that it was necessary, i. e., that it was their duty to give him such an instrument but that it was never delivered to him or made out at all, and therefore that he cannot recover damages. That is to say, the plaintiff is to lose money and they are to gain because they have not performed their duty. I cannot listen to that. Then I am told that the plaintiff cannot act at all, and begin to earn his salary until he has given the security and made the declaration mentioned in section 95. But it clearly would have been perfectly futile to ask the Council to determine as to the security which the plaintiff should give, or to make a declaration as to the faithful performance of the duties of an office which it is quite evident the Council had determined that the plaintiff should not continue to fill. The plaintiff had called personally on the Council Clerk, on the 3rd March, informing him of his readiness at once to enter on his office and had been requested to wait for a week. On the 4th March he called personally on the Mayor, at the city hall, and the Mayor informed him to the same effect, and he was again informed that he must wait; that his election was not yet confirmed (apparently under the misapprehension already noticed). On the 22nd March the plaintiff addressed the Mayor and Council in writing, but this remained unnoticed. On the 26th March he again wrote to the Mayor, and, on the 28th, received a reply from the Clerk denying that he had been appointed. It would have been quite absurd for him to attempt to comply with the Conditions of S. 95. Even the strictness of the conditions of a money tender are to be deemed entirely waived when it is quite clear that no tender would be entertained.

"The corporation had a very simple way of remedying or entirely preventing any ill consequences from their blunder, if it were a blunder, at the ballot of 2nd of March. They could pay the plaintiff a month's salary and dismiss him. Instead of that they ignore their own most solemn act and try to prevent the application of S. 93, by disowning their own votes. The plaintiff is surely not to blame for supposing them serious both when they elect and when they refuse to admit. The case of the defendants is, 'Our ballot on the 2nd March was a mere empty form and gave you no rights; our refusal to give effect to that vote was also *brutum fulmen* and exempted you from no liability. We are not bound, either by our vote or our refusal.' I surely cannot listen to that.

"It was suggested that if the plaintiff, under the election of the 2nd March acquired any rights which the Corporation refused to recognize, he ought to have applied for a *mandamus* directing them *e. g.*, to execute a sealed appointment to office and to admit him to perform the duties and that on the application for such a writ his right could have been more properly tested. But I doubt very much whether on such an application, any enquiry as to his rights could have take place. Of course if it appeared that plaintiff had no right, the *mandamus* would have been refused. But it might equally have been refused on other preliminary grounds. A *mandamus* will not be granted unless it is the applicant's only remedy. Neither will it be granted unless it clearly appear that it will be an effectual remedy. Here *mandamus* would clearly have been quite abortive, for if the Corporation had, in obedience to the writ, admitted the plaintiff to these offices, they would have had a clear right to dismiss him the very next day, and the *solatium* of a month's salary appears to be the statutory relief and more appropriate than the remedy by *mandamus*. The writ therefore would have probably been refused entirely irrespective of any consideration of the effect of the ballot of 2nd March.

"I think there must be judgment for the plaintiff for a month's salary, with costs, save so far as they have been occasioned by the amendments I have referred to. The defendants' costs of the amendment must be borne by the plaintiff, i. e., must be deducted from the amount of the judgment. And I think this action more properly brought in the Supreme Court than in the County Court, if only for the sake of the power of appeal.

"In view of the statements at the trial, it is as well to point out that by section 81, of the Municipal Act, 1891, the Mayor has no casting vote in addition to his own proper vote as a member of the Council. Where that vote creates a tie the result is to be negatived without more. As described the Mayor did, on 9th March, give a casting vote in the negative, and so produced the same result as that directed by the Act; but the provision in section 84 would have prevailed even if his casting vote had been given in the affirmative."

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W. S. GORE,

Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,

Victoria, B.C., 16th June, 1892. ju18

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(On Mainland)

New Westminster..Wednesday.....1st June
Kamloops.....Monday.....6th June
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June

FALL ASSIZE.

(On Mainland.)

Richfield.....Monday.....12th Sept
Clinton.....Wednesday.....28th Sept
Kamloops.....Monday.....3rd Oct
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct
New Westminster...Wednesday.....9th Nov

(On Vancouver Island.

Victoria.....Monday.....28th Nov
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....6th Dec

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TOM KAINS,

Secretary Board of Examiners.

Victoria, B. C., June 16th, 1892. je28

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A GOOD SUGGESTION.

It has been suggested that a Commission to enquire into the cause of the present outbreak of smallpox be demanded. The idea is a good one. The citizens of Victoria want to know the truth about the matter. They believe that an investigation properly conducted would bring out some truths which it is necessary for the people to know. It is to be hoped that all the facts connected with the visitation will be made public and that the blame, if there is any, will be placed on the right shoulders. Besides, unless it is known how the smallpox was brought here and how it was allowed to spread, it will be impossible to guard against a similar outbreak in the future. Let us have a Commission of enquiry, by all means.

THE LATE PREMIER.

The editor of this paper received by Thursday evening's English mail a letter from the Hon. John Robson. It was dictated in a cheerful spirit and contained the following passage:

"This little loan bill of ours has evoked a wonderful amount of interest here, and the Government have behaved splendidly. As you will see the Bill passed through all its stages without much delay."

The letter was dated June 24. The same mail brought us a number of newspaper clippings from the leading papers of Great Britain, metropolitan and provincial, which were announcements of the Hon. Mr. Robson's arrival, reports of the debate on the loan bill in the House of Commons, and detailed descriptions of the Crofter scheme. The amount of space which the great English and Scotch newspapers devoted to Mr. Robson's mission to Great Britain was really surprising. One or two of the notices will be seen in another column.

OUR MAINLAND NEIGHBORS.

The man who rejoices in the calamities of his neighbors is never very highly esteemed. And he does not deserve to be. His nature is narrow, mean, malicious and altogether unlovely. To judge by the utterances of their newspapers Victoria, in this her day of affliction, has no reason to feel grateful to her sister cities on the Mainland. There is an undertone of rejoicing in almost every thing that appears in them about the "smallpox in Victoria." It was a French cynic, we think, who said that there is something not unpleasant to us in the misfortunes of our neighbors. But whatever pleasure he may feel in contemplating the sufferings and the losses of his neighbors the Frenchman, cynic though he may be, would be the last man in the world to show by any sign that the spectacle gave him pleasure.

But our Vancouver and New Westminster neighbors are wholly devoid of the Frenchman's tact. They are pleased to see Victoria afflicted, and they take very little pains to conceal their joy. They exaggerate the reports they hear; they reproach Victorians as if they brought the visitation on themselves, and they do their best to deter those who show an inclination to come to this city from paying it a visit. They evidently see that they have Victoria at a disadvantage, and are bound to make the most of their position. The spirit they evince is not pleasant to contemplate, and is not calculated to give those who witness its manifestations a very high opinion of either the heads or the hearts of the leaders of public opinion in the two cities.

They must, however, act after their kind. It is impossible for us to change their natures. We cannot give them good taste, good sense and good feeling, for they are showing themselves lamentably deficient in all these neighborly qualities. There is, however, a satisfaction in letting them know that we are not insensible to their treatment of Victoria in this unhappy crisis. We do not see that there is any thing to be gained by recriminating, though the temptation to do so is very great.

We sincerely hope that the spirit exhibited by the Vancouver and New Westminster newspapers and newsmongers is not the prevalent one in those two cities. We do trust that there are some of their inhabitants who are not destitute of kindly feeling, and who are not incapable of sympathy with those who are overtaken by misfortune. We would be very sorry to think that the whole population of the two cities is as cold, as small-minded, and as malignant as their newspapers and some of their public men have shown themselves to be. There is surely some of the milk of human kindness left in the two cities.

Since the above was written we find that Vancouver's harsh words have been succeeded by harsher acts. We see that the Board of Health of the city of Vancouver has declared a strict quarantine against Victoria and that in this it is cooperating with Seattle, New Westminster and Nanaimo. This is interpreted by some to mean a decree of complete non-intercourse. If our neighbors intend this they will find that they have gone a great deal too far. All that the Vancouver Board of Health can do in the premises is to put the quarantine regulations of the Dominion in force against vessels entering the port from Victoria. If those vessels are found to be free from disease, passengers and freight can be landed, whatever the Board of Health may say to the contrary. The intention of our neighbors to do all the harm they can to Victoria is very plain, but the execution is slightly defective.

There is a humorous side to this Vancouver scare. Every one knows that that city is by no means free from smallpox. If the whole truth were known, we would not be at all surprised to learn that there are quite as many smallpox cases in Vancouver and in New Westminster as there are in Victoria. Our Vancouver neighbors are like the lady in the play, protesting a good deal too much. The smallpox was among them before it was in Victoria. There is, in fact, very strong evidence that the worst cases in our hospitals can trace their origin either directly or indirectly, to Vacouver. Vancouver is not the sweetly pure city it would have the world believe it to be. We do not find fault with the mainland cities for taking all reasonable precautions to prevent the spread of the smallpox, but it does look a little absurd to see its newspapers and its Board of Health declaring non-intercourse with Victoria on account of the smallpox, while there are still many cases within its bounds.

THE BRITISH COMMISSIONERS.

The Canadian Gazette has a high opinion of the British representatives on the Behring Sea Arbitration Commission. It evidently thinks that Lord Hannan and Sir John Thompson will do all that can be done to effect a satisfactory settlement of an irritating and long-standing dispute. It says:

The personnel of the British side of the Commission is well calculated to give general satisfaction in Canada, and we note that, so far as British journalists have been able to spare a moment's thought for the subject in the midst of their electoral disputings, they have spoken of the appointments with unqualified approval. Lord Hannan won for himself general respect by his conduct of the most trying duty that could well fall to any judge, of presiding over the Parnell Commission. He will, we are glad to think, find the atmosphere of the Behring Sea Commission Court free from political rancour, and he will also, we believe, have little difficulty, with the aid of his colleague and the British agent and counsel, in arriving at a just judgment regarding the dispute. Sir John Thompson is well known to all friends of Canada as an astute statesman, and his legal training and intimate knowledge of the facts of the case fit him in a peculiar sense to adjudicate on the issues involved. That Sir John Thompson has the confidence of the majority of the Canadian people has been shown within the last few days by the presentation made to him at Ottawa by all the Ministerialists of the House of Commons.

The Gazette is right. The people of Canada have perfect confidence in Sir John Thompson. They know him to be an able jurist and that he is well acquainted with all the facts connected with the Behring Sea question, and they also know that he will not, if he can help it, permit injustice to be done to Canada. As a British Commissioner on the Board of Arbitration, there is, as far as we know, but one opinion of Sir John Thompson among Canadians of all parties.

LEFT-HANDED BOYS.

The Hamilton Spectator has a word to say on behalf of the left-handed boys. We are glad to see this, for we know from painful experience that they have, or rather used to have, a hard time of it both at home and at school. Their left-handedness was treated as if it were a crime, and they were continually scolded and sometimes cuffed for instinctively using their left hands when their mothers and teachers thought they ought to use their right. This often made the poor left-handed fellow's life a burden to him. He could not see why he was to blame for being left-handed, and he knew that the impulse to use his left hand on occasions when all properly-constituted persons used their right was irrepressible. It required some thought and a strong effort of the will to enable him to use his right hand, and then he felt awkward and uncomfortable; but his left hand was always handy, and he was continually using it before he had time to think that it was the wrong hand. To be ridiculed and reprimanded and slapped for doing what he really could not help doing, seemed to him a great injustice, and made him feel as if a mistake had been made in putting him together. Respecting the treatment of left-handed boys in school, the Spectator says:

"The boy whose Maker, for some wise purpose, caused him to use his left hand with greater ease than his right, leads an unhappy life in the school. Some of the teachers do not seem to understand that the boy can be left-handed without being criminal, and the poor fellow is punished accordingly. Why should this be? Is it superstition on the part of the teachers? Do they think there is something uncanny about using the left hand in preference to the right? Or is it a rule of the Board of Education or of the Education Department that no public school pupil shall be left-handed? If it be superstition the superstitious teachers ought to be relieved from further duty, and if it be regulation the regulators ought to be ashamed of themselves. Why should not a boy write with his left hand or make marks on a slate with his left hand if he finds it more convenient for him to use that hand than the other? Why should an unfortunate boy be scolded and boxed and pummelled and rapped over the knuckles for using the hand the good Lord taught him to use?"

There is sound, common sense in this. What the teacher should do is, not to laugh at the boy or punish him for being left-handed, but, while letting him use his left hand as his instinct impelled, to teach him to use his right hand. So far from punishing a boy for having an impulse to use his left hand which he finds it most difficult to resist, he should teach all boys to use their left hands as well as their right. It is most convenient for men in many occupations to be ambidextrous. But there are many teachers who are such slaves to systems and forms and fashions that they cannot be convinced that anything can be done right if it is not done strictly according to rule and regulation. It is these martinets and pedigogues who ill-treat, and tyrannise over the left-handed boy.

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5. These Rules may be cited as the "Long Vacation Rules, 1892."

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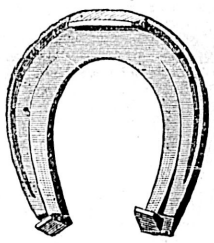
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Wants a Divorce.

The Seattle papers chronicle the fact that Marie Louis White is suing for divorce from her husband, John Cort, and the custody of their child, John Edward, four years old.

He Drives His Own Pony Now.

Master James Christie was the fortunate one in the drawing for the Gilmore & McCandless prize pony and cart, the number of his ticket being 1,237 The prize is a handsome one and, no doubt, will be highly prized by the winner.

Their Regular Meeting.

The members of the Aldermanic Board hold their regular weekly meeting this evening, when a large pile of communications, the usual reports and several by-laws will receive consideration. The latter deal with the supplementary estimates, electric light and sewerage loans.

To Visit the Coast.

The British Columbia corps of the Salvation Army are at present making extensive preparations for the contemplated visit to the Province of Staff-Captain and Mrs. Bolton. Both are well known for effective work in connection with the Prison Gate and Social Reform branch of the Army work.

Seizure of the Coquitlam.

The President of the Sealer's Association is in receipt of a telegram from Ottawa, stating that the United States Government had intimated to the federal authorities that security for the release of the Coquitlam could not be taken, except an order had been obtained from the Court of Alaskr. Steps are being taken to obtain the necessary security, and to have the application made in due form.

Was Not Concluded.

The suit for alimony and a judicial separation, brought by Mrs. Russell against John James Russell, was up for trial yesterday before His Lordship Mr. Justice Crease. Mr. Thornton Fell appeared for the petitioner and Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q C., for the defendant. The examination in chief and cross examination of Mrs. Russell occupied all day. The case will be taken up again at 11 o'clock this morning.

The Quadra.

The Albion Iron Works have not as yet received official notification of the acceptance of their tender for the repair of the Quadra, nor has Captain Lewis received any intimation. The COLONIST was the first source of information on the point, and as the statement made in its columns was authoritative, the contractors are preparing for the job, which will be commenced as soon as the order is given. In such hands the contract is sure to be satisfactorily executed.

A Want Supplied.

An experienced restaurateur has opened a place of business in the Five Sisters' Block, and designates his place the "Dairy Kitchen," and here the host will be prepared to supply little or much, of a superior quality, at popular prices. Similar "kitchens" have been found useful to the community and profitable to the proprietors in most cities on the other side of the line, and, as the field is unoccupied, there is every indication that it will prove a success here.

Rev. Mr. Macleod Explains.

Rev. P. McF. Macleod writes the COLONIST in correction of the summary of his last Sunday night sermon, published yesterday. He says: "What I did say was that there is a close connection between obedience to moral law and physical health; that, other things being equal, the man who has lived a sober and virtuous life will be less liable to contract disease and be less liable to succumb to it if so attacked than the man who has wasted his strength by dissipation."

A Dangerous Spot.

An empty, hoopless barrel and an old plank mark a dangerous spot on Wharf street, opposite Fort. A wagoner passing over the ground, yesterday, had his fore wheel go down several inches in what appeared to be a well macadamized section of the thoroughfare. It was only when he had passed over the spot and examined it that he realized the extent of his danger. The earth which had fallen in revealed a hole some ten feet in depth, which seemed to yawn for a wagon and team complete. The "respectable" aperature is the result of incomplete filling in on the sewer line. After recent excavations the earth was, apparently, dumped in, and last night's rain caused it to cave in. Were it not for the precaution taken by the wagoner to mark the spot there is no knowing how many horses and vehicles might now be lying at the bottom of the pit.

Police Court.

The following cases came up in the Police Court yesterday, before Magistrate Macrae:

Billy, an Indian, charged with having an intoxicant in his possession, was given a chance to select between a fine of $25 or one month's imprisonment.

Edward Connor, charged with supplying an intoxicant to an Indian, was found guilty, and, lacking the $50 wherewith to pay the fine assessed, was given in default, one month's confinement.

John Doherty, found drunk, failed to respond to the call of time and his cash bail was declared forfeited.

John Gray, charged with a plain drunk without any trimmings or extra ornament, was assessed $5 toward the fund for providing a muzzle for the old swan at Beacon Hill.

Patrick McFarlane, charged with being found in an intoxicated condition, was given the alternative of $5 or ten days.

Both Dismissed.

The case of Emma Nelson (Mrs. C. F. Collins) and her niece, Ellen, charged with larceny, failed to gratify the curiosity of the Police Court loungers who assembled as per custom at the magistrate's "at home" yesterday morning. There was nothing entertaining about the evidence, and the principal, and in fact only material, witness was the prosecutor, Wm. K. Tullock. The evidence showed that he had loaned Mrs. Collins certain sums of money, taking the furniture and *bric-a-brac* in dispute partly as security and partly for the purpose of keeping it out of the hands of other creditors. His honor did not think that the case should ever have been made the subject of a criminal prosecution, and consequently dismissed both defendants. Mr. Barker (Yates & Jay) appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Lindley Crease and Messrs Belyea & Gregory, for the defendants.

A Report Denied.

The report of there being a case of smallpox at the house of Mrs. R. J. McDonell, Bird Cage Walk, is declared to be without foundation. There has been none of the disease on the premises.

No More Certificates.

The following self-explanatory telegram was received by Collector Milne from Ottawa last evening:—

"OTTAWA, Ont., July 12.

"Under the amended Chinese Act no more certificates of leave can be issued.

"(Signed) W. G. PARMALEE,
"Commissioner of Customs."

A Serious Offence.

In connection with the Tullock-Nelson case, ventilated in the police court yesterday, Magistrate Macrae received a letter the evident intention of which was to influence his decision. To write such a letter is a serious offence, and the matter will very probably be brought to the attention of the Attorney-General.

The Quadra Case.

The investigation into the circumstances attending the accident to the Quadra, has concluded, and the evidence as taken, with the report of the Board, was yesterday forwarded to Ottawa by Captain Lewis. What the contents of the report is, will not be known for some days, until the Marine Department, at Ottawa, is heard from.

Levy vs Elmore.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, chief justice, and Mr. Justice Walker, sat yesterday in the Divisional Court and heard the appeal in the case of Levy vs. Elmore. Leave was given to sign judgment for $753.80, and to defend as to balance, viz.: first note, Cost of the application under order 14, up to but not inclusive of the order appealed from to be costs in this case. Appellant to have costs of the appeal and incidentals thereto.

Installation of Officers.

The bricklayers and stonemasons of this city, held their regular weekly meeting, Monday night, when the following officers for the next six months were installed, viz; Wm. Brown, president; J. Terrey, vice; F. Adams, deputy; A. Wills, financial secretary; J. Pettiegrew, treasurer; F. Plows, recording secretary; J. Kay, corresponding secretary; T. Donavan, conductor; C. Johnston, sergeant at arms.

The Silver King Mine.

Mr. H. E. Croasdaile left this morning for England. He will be joined at Revelstoke by Messrs. Winslow Hall and McDonald, two of the chief owners of this famous mine, who will accompany him on his journey. The object of the trip is to further the interests of the Silver King, and if a sale of the property be not effected, it is hoped to raise sufficient capital to thoroughly develop it. The party will be away about two months.

Indignant Visitors.

B. Chambers and wife, Chicago, and L. P. Mullinix, M.D., Astoria, are registered at the Driard. The gentlemen of the party are as indignant as is the lady. They came over on Monday from Seattle, intending to leave yesterday, and were disagreeably surprised when informed that they were quarantined in Victoria. They complain that while the officers of the boat and a couple of health inspectors from Seattle were allowed to "do" the town, and return by the steamer, temporary visitors are detained.

The Yellow Flag.

Yesterday was showery and dry goods merchants suited themselves to the weather, displaying goods which were likely to sell. In a few of the establishments in the lower town bright yellow oil cloth coats were hauled from among hidden-away winter stock, and made to do service as outer attractions. The effect was not as catching as the storekeepers appeared to anticipate, for as the gay-colored oil cloths floated on the breeze they were mistaken for yellow flags, indicative of the presence of smallpox, quarantine, disease, danger and every other outward and visible sign of contagion. So far from attracting customers, that very desirable class was frightened away from the scenes of soft-goods enterprise.

Jumped the Jailer.

Mr. Allen, the city jailer, was fiercely attacked on Sunday last by a man named Thompson, who was convicted and fined $2 a short time ago for having stolen some flowers out of Mr. Young's garden, and who has since been detained in the city lock-up awaiting a medical examination, as it is thought his mind is somewhat unsound. Thompson waited until Mr. Allen had his back turned, and thinking his chance good for escaping, jumped on and threw the jailer to the ground. Luckily, however, Mr. Allen managed to gain his feet again, and after a struggle handcuffed his antagonist, but not without being considerably hurt in the back. This is one of the many incidents, which are liable to become serious, consequent upon the present arrangement and management of the lock-up.

DOWN BY THE SEA.

Lactated Food a Life-Preserver.

A Baby Saved.

The "life-preserver," Lactated Food, works in a marvellous way down by the sea. Infants born on the sea shore in summer time, and who have the privilege of inhaling the invigorating air from the mighty ocean, require Lactated Food as much as the infants born far inland. Weak and puny babes must have their lives sustained by the nearest possible approach to mothers' milk when this fails in quality and quantity, or when it fails altogether.

Mothers down by the sea, know from experience that cow's milk cannot sustain life, as it is often stale, watery and unreliable. They have made choice of Lactated Food, and have not been disappointed

The following letter is from a thankful mother, who will use no food but "Lactated":

"Enclosed please find photo of my baby, John A. Robertson, aged twelve months, weight twenty-nine pounds. He has twelve teeth and is now in the best of health. He was very ill when two months old, and Dr. Thos. Walker advised me to feed him with your Food. I have used over three dozen packages, and would not be without it, if it cost as much again. I cannot speak of it too highly, and I intend to continue its use. My baby weighed seven and a half pounds when he was born."

MRS. W. W. ROBERTSON.
70 Elliott Row, St. John, N. B.

Quarantined.

Though the city is quarantined and we have to fall back on our own resources, it is some satisfaction to know that a full stock of the famous jubilee range is on hand at mc lennan and mc feely's. *

Something New.

When we saw those light canvas boxes used for catching the grass, and adjustable to any lawn mower, we were inclined to think there was something new under the sun. They are a splendid thing, light, cheap, save raking up the grass, and are sold by McLennan and McFeely, corner Government and Johnston streets. *

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

An Exciting Game of Baseball Between the Newspaper Printers and Firemen of Victoria.

North Saanich Cricket Club Meet on July Fourth—W. Wain Captures the Prize.

BASEBALL.

The match game of baseball between a newspaper printers' nine and a picked nine of firemen brought out a large crowd at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon. The game was stubbornly contested from beginning to end, and the excited crowd howled at every good play made by either side. The printers went to bat, and succeeded in pounding out three runs, against two for the fire boys, the superior batting of Kurtz causing the difference. The second innings resulted in three runs for each nine, while in the third the printers made one run, as against a goose egg for the nozzle men. In the fourth, however, fire stock went up with a rush. Reid's three-base hit brought in two runs, and two others were scored, making four, against the lone one of Faler. When the "prints" came to bat for the fifth innings, the two runs to their opponents looked as if they were out of it, but the handsome three-bagger of Clyde, bringing in two, combined with three other runs, again placed them ahead, the firemen only scoring three. The sixth innings was the most hotly contested of all. It was one, two, three, out, in short order, and both nines retired with the mystic circle to their credit. The seventh and last innings added two runs to the score of each, giving the game to the printers with a score of 15 to 14. The batteries were: Cullin (W. H.) and Faler, for the printers; and Deasy and Leroy, for the firemen. The score by innings was:

Club.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total.
Printers	3	3	1	1	5	0	2—	15
Firemen	2	3	0	4	3	0	2—	14

James Wishart filled the postion of umpire to the satisfaction of all, his close decisions bringing forth applause from the excited throng.

CRICKET.

The first eleven of the V.C.C. will play the next eighteen on the club ground, at Beacon Hill, on Saturday afternoon next.

The Vancouver cricketers will not be here to play the Albions on Saturday.

THE GAME IN SAANICH.

The North Saanich C. C. met on the 4th of July to contest for a hunting knife, presented to the club by Messrs. Short & Son of Victoria. It was eventually won by Mr. W. Wain, a second prize, presented by Mr. Christmas being captured by Mr. R. James. The respective sides were captained by Messrs, Breeds and Caven. The score is appended:—

Mr. Caven's Side.

1st Innings.		*2nd Innings.*	
Walker b Imrie	6	b James	0
Roberts b do	0	b Christmas	7
Joe. John b Wain	3	b Imrie	0
Imrie b do	1	b Breeds	7
Caven, run out	0	run out	8
John b James	10	c and b James	0
Jas. John st & b Imrie	6	b Breeds	17
Wain c James c Collins	0	not out	2
McDonald, not out	0	b James	0
Mitchell b James	2	c and b James	0
Extras	1	Extras	10
Totals	23		51

Mr. Breed's Side.

1st Innings.		*2d Innings.*	
James, b John	4	b Walker	4
Wain, b McDonald	1	b Walker	12
Irvine, c and b Caven	14	b John	2
Reid, b John	0	b Walker	0
Armstrong, b Wain	6	Not out	1
McIlmoyle, c and b John	0	b John	0
Collins, c Reid, b John	4	Played on, b John	3
Christmas, not out	6	b John	7
Breeds, b John	2	Run out	4
Mitchell, b John	0	Caven, b Walker	0
Extras	5	Extras	6
Total	42	Total	39

The Twelfth.

The local Orangemen had a very inauspicious time yesterday. At their hall the mysterious password which is to admit them within the portals of the lodge was given by the worshipful masters, but so quiet were the other movements in local orangedom that those unread in history would not even suspect that the Battle of the Boyne had ever been fought, or that it was worthy of commemoration. Not that the local Orangemen are not as enthusiastic as their brethren elsewhere. Arrangements had been made to celebrate in Vancouver yesterday, but the smallpox scare dropped in and upset an excellent programme. Then it was suggested that there should be a local celebration, and the beach at Oak Bay was to have been alive with the adherents of the "glorious" principles which King William—familiarly called "Billy of the Boyne"—vindicated by his decisive battle on the banks of that unpretenteous stream in the old sea. This also was knocked on the head, and the brethern had to content themselves with mere lodge-love, and the reflection that they enjoy the fruits of an event which they could not "demonstrate."

The Girls of St. Luke's.

"The Girls of St. Luke's" is the fitting title of a new and very promising juvenile organization established in connection with the church after which it is named. The young people of the congregation have formed themselves into a sewing club and meet in the schoolroom once a week, where they have a good time of it while industriously plying their needles. The sewing circle has been in operation for some time, and so successful has it proved that its fair young members have begun to "entertain" in approved fashion. They gave a reception the other night to which their fathers and mothers, uncles and aunts were cordially invited. The response was liberal and a large audience was delightfully entertained by the following programme, every item of which was well rendered: Chorus, "Long, Long Ago," the Misses King, Mebius, Miller, etc; recitation, "Land of Lollipops," Miss M. Holmes; chorus, "Always Cheerful," Misses Miller, Holmes, Brownlee, Moxon and Browne; recitation, "Don't Run, Etc.," Miss G. Pollock; song, "Beautiful Voices," Miss A. King; dialogue, "March Past, Etc.," Misses Holmes and Moxon; dialogue, "Old Woman," Miss B. Brownlee and M. Miller; recitation, "The Last Hymn," Miss D. Mebius; song, "Poodle Dog," Dolly Moxon; dialogue, "Dolly's Mamma, Etc.," E. Browne and L. Miller: recitation, "Revel of Mice," Miss A. Holmes; recitation, "Mustard Pot," Miss M. Holmes; chorus, "Waking Echoes Again," girls. Refreshments.

A Disinfectant.

As the results of a series of experiments with disinfectants, Herr Eckstein, of Vienna, strongly recommends chloride of lime as the cheapest and best. Bleaching powders rapidly decompose all hydrogen compounds, such as ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen, sulphide of ammonium, phosphoretted hyprogen and these are the gases which occasion miasma. It acts rapidly by liberating oxygen, and its chlorine violently decomposes organic matter. *

Baseball Goods at Hibben & Co.'s.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CHAMBERS.
(Before Mr. Justice Drake.
July 12, 1892.

Braden v. Stamford—To sign final judgment under Order XIV. Adjourned by consent.

Gillespie v. Beach—To adopt the regular certificate made under decree dated 27th May, 1891. Adjourned.

Patterson v. Webb—To cancel *lis pendens*. Dismissed with costs.

Mesher v. Harris.—For an order to examine. Consented to.

Lockhart v. May—Adjourned until to-morrow by consent.

To Be Heard To-Day.

A somewhat interesting case will come up for trial to-day before a judge and special jury. The suit is brought by the C. P. R. to recover possession from the defendants, Bouchard and Bennet, of certain property at Field Station, B. C., being part of the N. E. quarter of section 17 township 28 range 18 west of the 5th initial meridian. The defendants, who are hotel keepers at Field, plead that their hotels were built in 1885 on unsurveyed and unimproved Crown lands, and that if the C. P. R. had, prior to 1885 acquired any right or title to the property, they consented to the defendants putting up their buildings by not interfering with them, although they knew that the work on the buildings was going on. Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken appear for the C. P. R. and Messrs. Belyea & Gregory for the defendants.

After Long Separation.

Mr. David Hart, tobacconist, of Government street, is at present enjoying a visit from his brother, Emanuel, who dropped in on him, entirely unexpected, a few days ago, and saluted the genial proprietor of the "Divan," with the query:

"Aren't you Mr. Hart?"

The answer was in the affirmative and the Victorian followed it up with:

"And aren't you another of the family?"

The stranger also pleaded guilty and the brothers shook hands. They had not seen each other for 42 years, when Emanuel was about four months old.

"He has changed considerably since then," philosophically observed the elder brother, "and I should scarcely have recognized him."

The Minerals of B. C.

The mineral resources of B. C. will be largely represented at the World's Fair at Chicago. The Provincial Government having taken the matter up in a business-like way, are leaving no stone unturned to accomplish their object—that of having the mineral wealth of British Columbia well represented. They have appointed Mr. Charles F. Law, of Golden, to collect samples of minerals throughout the province, and as Mr. Law has had considerable experience in mining matters, he is a very competent man for the office. He is the gentleman who opposed Col. Baker in East Kootenay at the last general election, and came within five votes of having the honor and responsibility of signing M.P.P. after his name.

Pure coffee, with pure cream, at the Dairy Kitchen. *

Blood Poisoning

Mrs. Mary E. O'Fallon, a very intelligent lady of Piqua, Ohio, was poisoned while assisting physicians at an autopsy 5 years ago, and soon **terrible ulcers** broke out on her head, arms, tongue and throat. Her hair all came out. Her husband spent hundreds of dollars without any benefit. She weighed but 78 pounds, and saw no prospect of help. At last she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and at once improved; could soon get out of bed and walk. She says, "I became perfectly cured by

Mrs. M. E. O'Fallon.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

and am now a well woman. I weigh 128 pounds, eat well and do the work for a large family. My case seems a wonderful recovery and physicians look at me in astonishment, as almost **like one raised from the dead.**"

HOOD'S PILLS should be in every family medicine chest. Once used, always preferred.

Do You Know

THAT S. DAVIS & SONS

are the largest Cigar Manufacturers in Canada?

THAT THEY

have spent thousands of dollars to introduce their brands?

THAT THEY

have a reputation to maintain that has taken the best part of a lifetime to establish?

THAT THEY

know that in order to hold the confidence of the public they must maintain the quality of their brands?

THAT THEY

have obtained First Prize Medals at Paris, 1867; Philadelphia Centennial, 1876; Montreal, 1863-8, in competition with the world?

THAT THEIR

Factory, in comparison with other countries in population, is the Largest in the World?

THAT THEY

manufacture the Highest Grade Goods?

THAT THEIR

"La Cadena" and "La Flora" Clear Havana Cigars are superior to the Imported, and at much lower prices?

THAT THEIR

"Madre e Higo" and "El Padre" are exceptionally fine (millions sold annually)?

THAT THEIR

"Cable," "Mungo" and "Kicker" are unequalled (millions sold annually)?

IF YOU DO,

Then, why do you allow other brands to be substituted in their stead?

S. DAVIS & SONS, MONTREAL.

ju25-w,s,s

SALE SALE SALE

SPENCER'S - ARCADE

For the Next Two Weeks we Shall Clear the Undermentioned Lines of Summer Stock at the Low Price Usual in all Arcade Sales:

100 white and colored Blouses at 50c.; splendid lines at 75c., $1.00 and $1.25.
50 Children's white and colored Cotton Dresses, 50c., 60c., 75c., $1.00, etc.
A large line of Ladies' Underwear.
Corset Covers from 25c.
White Skirts from 50c., and other garments in proportion.
Ladies' Silk Parasols at 50c., $1.00, $1.50, $2.50; regular price, $3.00 to $.9.00. You must see this line.
A line of single width Dress Stuff at 15c.; regular price, 40c. and 50c.
Our stock of Pattern Dresses at $4.75, $7.50 and $10.00; regular price, $10.00 to $25.00.
Special lines of Hosiery and Underwear.
Lot of Sample Gloves, about 800 pair, at about half value.
Also the La Tourraine Lacing Glove, every pair guaranteed, will be sold at $1.00 during this sale.
A special purchase of Linen Laces, done up in 12 yd. pieces, will be sold cheap.
20 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, black and colored, at 2.50; 5.00 to 18.00 original prices.
23 Ladies' Cloth Jackets, black and colored, at 4.50; 7.50 to 20.00 original prices.
30 Circulars and Ulsters at 3.75.
29 Tweed Waterproofs at 2.50; original price 7.50.
25 Ladies' Cravenette Rainproof Cloaks at 2.50. This make of rainproof garment is not generally known, and we have made the line at this price to introduce the material. The regular list prices range from 7.50 to 12.50.
Ladies' Alpacca Dust Cloaks at 3.00.
Ladies' Lace Capes, Silk Mantles, Blayers, Boating Jackets, Tennis Jackets, at less than half price—in fact all goods in the Mantle Department are marked at such prices as will clear them out, as we must keep the stock fresh and new each season.
Some special lines in Lace Curtains.

REMNANTS.

As usual we clear out the remnants each season in all departments. They are marked very cheap this time.
Remnants of Prints, Sateens, Flannelettes, Ginghams, Flannels, Cashmeres, Fancy Dress Goods, Black Goods, Silks and Art Satins, Muslins, Ribbons, laces, Embroideries, etc., etc.
Remnants of Carpets and Mattings cheap.

SALE COMMENCES ON FRIDAY.

The Store will be Closed Thursday.

D. SPENCER

GOVERNMENT STREET.

NOTICE—The store is kept well disinfected, and the necessary precautions are taken with regard to change.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described tracts of land in Alberni District:

Two River Arm, Sproat's Lake, Alberni District, commencing at a post on the shore at the southeast corner of the Arm marked B. C. P. Co; thence west along the shore 80 chains, south 20 chains, east 80 chains, north 20 chains to the point of commencement, containing about 160 acres, more or less.

South Shore of the Sterling Arm, Sproat's Lake, Alberni District, commencing at a post on the shore of the Arm, marked B. C. P. Co.; thence east along the shore of the E. & N. Ry. Co's boundary post, about 40 chains, more or less; thence along the boundary line south 20 chains, west 40 chains, north 30 chains, to the point of commencing containing about 80 acres, more or less, for the British Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company, Limited.

H. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., July 1, 1892. jy2-d&w

"CANADA PERMANENT LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY" (FOREIGN).

REGISTERED THE 9TH DAY OF JUNE, 1892.

Certificate of Registration.

THIS is to certify that I have this day registered the "Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Company" (Foreign), under the "Companies' Act," Part IV., "Registration of Foreign Companies," and the "Companies' Act Amendment Act, 1889."

The objects for which the Company is established are: To encourage the accumulation of capital by furnishing a safe and remunerative investment to its shareholders, depositors and debenture holders; to assist in the acquisition and improvement of real estate by supplying capital, on easy terms of repayment, upon the security thereof; to make advances upon, and to purchase Dominion, Provincial and Municipal securities and debentures; and generally to carry out the purposes of the Statute of the Province of Canada ninth of Victoria, Chapter 90, and of Acts passed in amendment thereof.

The amount of the capital stock of the said Company is five million dollars, divided into one hundred thousand shares of fifty dollars each.

The place of business of the said Company is located at No. 21 Bastion street, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 9th day of June, 1892, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
jul8 Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debt or debts contracted for the schooner "Casco" without my written authority.

J. A. ANDERSON.
Victoria, V.I., B.C., June 16th, 1892. jul7

NOTICE.

Applications for the position of Principal of the Victoria High School, salary $1,500 per annum, will be received by the undersigned until July 12th next.

B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary
Victoria City School Trustees.
Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1892. my12

NOTICE.

In City Pound one Blue Roan Horse, white face, white fore feet, will be sold at auction on July 16, Saturday, at 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date. By order of Mayor and Aldermen.

ANDREW SHAW,
Pound Keeper.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
July 5th, 1892. City Clerk.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as Land Agents, etc., has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of May, 1892.

The business will be continued at 42 Fort street, under the name of H. E. Croasdaile & Co., and Mr. J. H. Brownlee will for the present occupy an office at the same address.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE.
J. H. BROWNLEE.
31st May, 1892 je1

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between George Pickard and Robert Middleton under the firm name of Pickard & Middleton, farmers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Liabilities of the late firm will be settled by Robert Middleton to whom all outstanding accounts are to be paid. Dated at Quesnelle Mouth this twenty-seventh day of June, 1892.

Witness, T. MAXWELL
GEORGE PICKARD.
jy7-wkly ROBERT MIDDLETON

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between John Earsman and Alexander McKenzie Leitch, under the name or style of John Earsman & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business will in future be carried on by

JOHN EARSMAN.
6th July, 1892. jy7

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

By mutual consent the firm of Fitzpatrick & Mackie, plummers, 68 Broad street is this day dissolved. The undersigned will carry on the business and assume all liabilities and collect outstanding accounts.

J. FITZPATRICK.
Victoria, July 7, 1892. jy8

NOTICE is hereby given that in 30 days after date, application will be made by the undersigned to the Governor in Council and to the Minister of Public Works for permission to extend the wharf situated on Lots 218, 219, 220, 221, 222 and 1264, Victoria City fronting on Victoria Harbour and Rock Bay. Plans of the situation of the proposed extention have been deposited with the Honorable the Minister of Public Works and at the Registry Office, Victoria. Dated this 2nd day of June, 1892. W. P. Sayward. jy12

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Notice is hereby given that Point Ellice Bridge is Unsafe for Tramcar or Vehicle Traffic, and is hereby closed except to Pedestrians, until further notice.

By Order,
E A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
Victoria, B. C., June 18, 1891.

NOTICE.

Mr. Alfred E. Allen has this day retired from the firm of Allen, Wilson & Creighton, tailors, of 62 Government street, Victoria, B.C.

The business will in future be carried on by Wilson & Creighton, who assume all liabilities of the late firm and take all credits and assets thereof. The name of the firm will from this date be Wilson & Creighton.

Dated Victoria, B.C., June 16th, 1892.

Witness:
R. G. HOWELL. A. E. ALLEN.
WILLIAM WILSON.
jul7 JOHN W. CREIGHTON

NOTICE.

From and after date the brewery business of Loewen & Erb's Victoria Brewery will be carried on by the

VICTORIA BREWING & ICE CO. (Ld.)
Victoria, B.C., 1st May, 1892. my1

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm
Victoria, Dec. 11, 890. de12

REGULATIONS

ISSUED BY THE

Lieutenant-Governor in Council

IN THE MATTER OF

SMALL-POX.

[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

THEODORE DAVIE, *Attorney-General.*

WHEREAS by virtue of the "Health Act" the respective Corporations of the cities of Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo are created Local Boards of Health within their respective limits and jurisdiction, and by the same Act it is provided that the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may from time to time define the duties, functions and powers of Local Boards of Health in anywise relating to endemic or contagious diseases or disorders, and may make rules and orders for the inspection of dwelling houses, curtilages, hospitals gaols, and other places, and generally for the regulation of all matters and things whatsoever in relation to or in connection with sanitary matters, including the infliction of fines and penalties for the enforcement of any such rules and regulations.

And whereas in view of danger of an invasion by smallpox the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has, pursuant to section 5 of the said Act, been pleased by Order in Council, dated the 9th July, 1892, to appoint a Health Officer for the Province, and it is advisable to make rules and regulations under the said Act:

Therefore His Honour the Lieutenant Governor has, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. It shall be the duty of each of the Corporations of the Cities of Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, and Nanaimo to appoint a duly qualified medical practitioner to be designated and to act as Municipal Health Officer for the Corporation, whose duty it shall be to co-operate with the Provincial Health Officer in arresting the spread of small-pox and, in his absence, to act in his stead; and it shall also be the duty of such Corporations to detail such number of policemen, and to appoint such other persons as may be required by the Provincial Health Officer, or the Municipal Health Officer, for such duties from time to time as may be indicated by such Health Officers, or either of them, and in the event of the Local Board of Health neglecting to make any required appointment, the Provincial Health Officer or, in his absence, the Municipal Health Officer, may make such appointments. Where in either of the said cities a Health Officer has before the date of these rules been appointed by the Local Board, such Health Officer shall be the Municipal Health Officer during the will of the Local Board without further appointment.

2. When smallpox breaks out, or in cases where it has broken out, in either of the said cities the Local Board of Health, if not already provided, shall immediately, at the cost of the Municipality, provide such temporary hospitals, hospital tents, or other place or places of reception for the sick and infected as they shall judge best for their accommodation and the safety of the inhabitants.

3. On the occurrence of the first or any case of smallpox, the Municipal Health Officer shall at once remove the person attacked to the hospital, tent, or other place provided under the preceding rule, or shall cause such person to be otherwise efficiently isolated, and shall take proper measures for the disinfection, or, if necessary, the destruction of all clothing which may have been exposed to contagion, and for the disinfection and purification of every conveyance, rail or tramcar, steamboat, sailing vessel, carriage, or other vehicle which may have been exposed to contagion.

4. The Municipal Health Officer shall further place, in another building or tent which shall be provided by the Local Board of Health, all persons (other than the nurses and necessary attendants upon the infected persons) who may have been exposed to the contagion, and shall supply them with all necessaries until the period of incubation of the disease shall have elapsed, and no such person shall go, or be permitted to go, abroad until he has given satisfactory proof of successful vaccination within the preceding seven years, or shall have obtained a medical certificate of insusceptibility to the vaccine disease, nor until the clothing or effects worn or carried by him have been properly disinfected, if the same have been exposed to contagion.

5. Whenever an infected person shall, under the provisions of Rule 3, be isolated in a house or place other than the general hospital, tent, or place provided by the Local Board, under Rule 2, it shall be incumbent on the Municipal Health Officer to appoint and employ a proper person or persons, to keep constant watch over the house or place where such infected person shall be kept, and not to permit ingress or egress to or from such house or place, except to a duly qualified medical man attendant upon such infected person (or to a clergyman under regulations to be made by the Municipal Health Officer), or other person by the permission of the Municipal Health Officer, and any person accepting the duty of watchman under this rule, who shall depart from his duty as watchman, or shall neglect his duty, or who shall permit of ingress or egress to or from the affected premises, or any communication therewith contrary to this rule, or who shall disobey, or fail to observe any direction of the Municipal Health Officer relative to the duties of such watchman, shall incur a penalty of fifty dollars, to be recovered upon summary conviction, or in default of payment, to three months imprisonment with or without hard labor.

6. Any person who shall, contrary to the preceding rule, depart from or enter any such hospital, tent or place, as is mentioned in Rule 2, wherein there shall be any person infected with smallpox, or who shall carry or remove, or permit to be carried or removed, any article or thing from such hospital, tent or place, shall be subject, on summary conviction, to a penalty of one hundred dollars, or to six months imprisonment, with or without hard labor.

7. When any vessel coming from an infected locality enters any port the Municipal Health Officer shall make or cause to be made a strict inspection of the vessel and examination of the passengers, officers and crew, before any person, luggage, or freight, or other thing is landed, or allowed to be landed from it, and where any infected or exposed person is found on board, he shall be dealt with in the manner directed in Rule 3, and no luggage, freight, or other thing shall be landed from the vessel until they shall have been thoroughly disinfected.

8. No vessel shall be permitted to depart from the harbours of the said cities until an inspection shall have been had in manner provided by the preceding rule, and removal of any person who shall be found to be infected.

9. The Provincial Health Officer, or in his absence the Municipal Health Officer, may appoint Medical Inspectors, who shall perform such duties as shall be assigned to them by the Provincial Health Officer and may board all trains and vessels arriving within the limits of the respective jurisdictions for which they are appointed; and every such Inspector may take, in respect of any person's baggage, freight, or effects arriving by any train or vessel, any sanitary precautions authorized by the Provincial Health Officer, which, in the opinion of such Inspector, are necessary or expedient for guarding against the further introduction of smallpox into British Columbia. The Inspector may require any person travelling on any such train or vessel, either to produce for examination by the Inspector a medical certificate of such person having been vaccinated, within the preceding seven years, or not being susceptible to the vaccine disease, or to exhibit to such Inspector the marks on his person of successful vaccination, such as to satisfy the Inspector that the same has been performed within seven years, and on default the inspector is hereby empowered to vaccinate such person, or cause him to be vaccinated, either before he is permitted to leave the train or vessel, or immediately thereafter, at his discretion; and each person so travelling shall answer truthfully all reasonable questions when an inspector shall, in the performance of his duty, ask such person with reference to the places such person has been at, and his stay there, during the fourteen days next preceding such enquiry being made; and in case such person refuses to answer, or does not satisfy the Inspector by his answers, the Inspector shall be justified in presuming that such person has been within such time exposed to infection, and shall act accordingly.

10. Health Officers and Medical Inspectors, as the case may be, shall, in respect of the duties herein mentioned, be governed by the following rules:—

(1.) An Inspector shall attend at the railway station or steamboat wharf a reasonable time prior to the departure of every boat or train going out, and shall, wherever he deems it expedient, take passage on such boat or train;

(2.) If the Inspector believes that any person is infected, or that his or her clothing or other effects contain infection, the Inspector shall detain such person and his or her clothing and effects aforesaid, at some convenient point en route, until the period of incubation is over, and the clothing and other effects shall be at once disinfected:

(3.) If the Medical Inspector only suspects that any person on board, or the effects of any such person have been exposed to infection, the Medical Inspector shall notify the Municipal Health Officer of the locality to which the person is going, or other, the proper authority, to meet the train or boat, and to keep the said persons thereafter under observation:

(4.) In either of the cases mentioned in the two next preceding rules, unless the person believed to be conveying, or suspected of conveying contagion, shows satisfactory proofs of vaccination within seven years, or of insusceptibility to the vaccine disease, he shall be forthwith vaccinated; and, if necessary, shall be detained until vaccinated:

(5.) The action to be taken in the event of a case of smallpox being discovered is shortly as follows: (a.) Detention and isolation of persons affected; (b.) Fumigation of car or boat; (c.) Vaccination of all persons who have been exposed to the contagion; (d.) Detention of any person who refuses to be vaccinated; (e.) Notification of Local Health Officers at places of destination.

11. Any person wilfully making any misstatement to any Provincial Health Officer, Municipal Health Officer or Inspector, in any matter relating to the efforts of any such officer or Inspector to prevent the introduction or spread of smallpox, shall be subject, upon summary conviction, to a fine of fifty dollars, or in default of payment to imprisonment for one month, with or without hard labour.

12. Either the Provincial Health Officer, or any Municipal Health Officer, may himself act as an Inspector under these rules, and the Provincial Health Officer shall have all the powers of a Municipal Health Officer.

13. The Local Board of Health of each of the said Cities of Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, and Nanaimo shall each contract with some legally qualified practitioner or practitioners for the period of one year, and so from year to year as such contract expires, for the vaccination, at the expense of the municipality, of all poor persons, and at their own expense of all other persons resident in the city who come to such medical practitioners for that purpose.

(2.) It shall be a condition of every such contract that the amount of the remuneration to be received under the same shall depend on the number of persons who, not having been previously successfully vaccinated, are successfully vaccinated by such medical practitioner or practitioners, respectively, so contracting.

14. It shall be incumbent upon the Local Board to arrange suitable times and places for vaccination, and to give public notice thereof.

15. The father or mother of every child born in either of the said cities shall, at some appointed time within three months after the birth of such child, or, in the event of the death, illness, absence, or inability of the father and mother, then the person who has the care, nurture, or custody of the child shall, at some appointed time within four months after the birth of the child, cause the child to be taken to some medical practitioner appointed under the preceding sections of these Rules, at an appointed time and place, for the purpose of being vaccinated, and then and there shall permit the child to be vaccinated, unless the child has been previously vaccinated by some legally qualified medical practitioner, and the vaccination duly certified; and the medical practitioner so appointed shall, and he is hereby required thereupon to vaccinate the child, or to do so as soon afterwards as it can conveniently and properly be done.

(2.) This Rule, and Rules 16 and 17, shall also apply to all children over the age of three months becoming resident in either of the said cities, and such children shall, for the purposes of these rules, be considered as children born in the city at the date that they became resident within it.

16. Upon the eighth day following the day on which any child has been vaccinated as aforesaid, the father or mother, or other person having the care, nurture, or custody of the child as aforesaid, shall again take, or cause the child to be taken, to the medical practitioner by whom the operation was performed, or other similarly appointed medical practitioner in attendance as aforesaid, in order that the medical practitioner may ascertain by inspection the result of the operation.

17. Upon and immediately after the successful vaccination of a child born in either of the said cities, the medical practitioner who performed the operation shall deliver to the father or mother, or other person as aforesaid, a certificate under his hand, according to the form of Schedule A to these rules, that the child has been successfully vaccinated, and shall also transmit a duplicate of the said certificate to the Clerk of the City wherein the operation was performed.

18. If any medical practitioner appointed as aforesaid is of opinion that a child brought to him as aforesaid is not in a fit and proper state to be successfully vaccinated, he shall deliver to the father or mother of the child, or other person having its custody, on demand, and without fee or reward, a certificate under his hand, according to the form of Schedule B to these Rules, that the child is in an unfit state for successful vaccination.

19. Such certificate, or any similar certificate of a legally qualified medical practitioner, respecting any child born as aforesaid, shall remain in force for two months from its delivery; and the father or mother of the child, or the person having the care, nurture, or custody of the child as aforesaid, shall (unless they have within each succeeding period of two months, obtained from a legally qualified medical practitioner a renewal of such certificate), within two months after the delivery of the said certificate as aforesaid, and if the child is not vaccinated after by the termination of such period of two months, than during each succeeding period of two months until the child has been successfully vaccinated, take or cause to be taken to the medical practitioner so appointed as aforesaid such child to be vaccinated by him; and if the said medical practitioner deems the child to be then in a fit and proper state for such successful vaccination, he shall forthwith vaccinate it accordingly, and shall, upon or immediately after the successful vaccination of the child deliver to the father or mother of the child, or the person having the care, nurture or custody of the child, as aforesaid, a certificate under his hand, according to the form of Schedule A to these Rules, that the child has been successfully vaccinated; but if the medical practitioner is of opinion that the said child is still in an unfit state for successful vaccination, then he shall again deliver to the father or mother of the child, or to the person having the care, nurture, or custody of the child as aforesaid, a certificate under his hand, according to the form of Schedule B to these Rules, that the child is still in an unfit state for successful vaccination, and the said medical practitioner, so long as the child remains in an unfit state for vaccination and unvaccinated, shall, at the expiration of every succeeding period of two months, deliver, if required, to the father or mother of the child, or to the person having the care, nurture or custody of the child, a fresh certificate under his hand, according to the form of Schedule B to these Rules.

20. The production of such certificate, or of any similar certificate, from any legally qualified medical practitioner, shall be a sufficient defence against any complaint brought against the father or mother, or person having the care, nurture or custody of such child, for non-compliance with the provisions of these Rules.

21. In the event of a medical practitioner employed under the provisions of these Rules, or any other duly qualified medical practitioner, being of opinion that any child as aforesaid that has been vaccinated by him is insusceptible of the vaccine disease, shall deliver to the father or mother of the child, or to the person having as aforesaid the care, nurture or custody of the child, a certificate under his hand, according to the form Schedule C to these Rules; and the production of the certificate shall be a sufficient defence against any complaint which may be brought against the father or mother, or person having the care, nurture, or custody of the child for non-compliance with the provisions of these Rules.

22. If a father or mother, or person having as aforesaid the care, nurture, or custody of any child, as aforesaid, does not cause the child to be vaccinated within the periods prescribed by these Rules, or does not on the eighth day after the vaccination has been performed take, or cause to be taken, the child for inspection, according to the provisions in these Rules respectively contained, then the father or mother, or person having the care, nurture, or custody of the child as aforesaid, so offending, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five dollars, recoverable on summary conviction before a Police Magistrate or any two Justices of the Peace sitting and having jurisdiction in the municipality in which the offence was committed.

23. The production of a certificate in the form of Schedule A or C, under the hand of a legally qualified medical practitioner, shall be a sufficient defence against any such complaint; but the production of a certificate in the form of Schedule B shall not be a sufficient defence, unless the vaccination is thereby postponed to a day subsequent to that on which the complaint is brought.

24. Every person resident in either of the said Cities at the time of the coming into force of these rules of the age of fourteen years or upwards, and who has not been successfully vaccinated (the proof by marks upon the body or otherwise whereof shall lie upon the person alleging himself to have been so vaccinated) within seven years shall within two months from the passage of these rules present himself or herself for vaccination to a medical practitioner appointed under these rules, and every father or head of a family resident in the Municipality, and every schoolmaster or person keeping a school within the City, and every other person having the care and charge of children and young persons, shall cause all persons under the care of any such head of a family, schoolmaster, or other person who have not been successfully vaccinated, as provided by these rules, to be brought within two months from the passage of these rules, or sooner if so required by the Provincial Health Officer, or a Municipal Health Officer, or an Inspector appointed under these rules, for the purpose of vaccination to a medical practitioner appointed under these rules.

25. The Provincial Health Officer, or in his absence the Municipal Health Officer, shall have power to order any public meeting or gathering of more than six persons in any of the said cities forthwith to disband, or may prohibit any proposed assemblage, picnic or excursion.

26. Any person theretofore assembled at any meeting or gathering continuing together to the number of six after any order or direction has been given to disband pursuant to the preceding section shall be subject to arrest without warrant or process by any constable or peace officer, and every such person shall be liable, upon summary conviction, to a fine of one hundred dollars, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any term not exceeding six months.

27. All expenses incurred by any Provincial Health Officer, or Municipal Health Officer, or Inspector, and within the scope of his duties, shall be borne and paid by the City where such expenses are incurred, but nothing herein contained shall impose upon any City the obligation to pay the salary of the Provincial Health Officer.

And whereas by the said "Health Act" it is also, among other things, provided that the Council of every Municipality shall be the Local Board of Health for such Municipality, and that it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor, by writing under his hand, to appoint such and so many persons as he may think fit to form a Local Board for any place in the Province not being a municipality.

28. Therefore it is hereby ordered that in each district of the Province not being a Municipality the Government Agent for the time being in charge of such district shall be the Local Board for such district, and shall have, within and for his jurisdiction, in the absence of the Provincial Health Officer, all the powers vested by law, whether under these rules or otherwise, in the Provincial Health Officer.

29. The Local Boards, other than those of the Cities of Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo, shall in regard to the cases of smallpox arising within their respective jurisdiction follow, as nearly as may be, the rules and regulations hereby enacted and made applicable to the said Cities of Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, and Nanaimo, and these rules, *mutatis mutandis*, shall apply to the Municipalities throughout the Province other than the Cities aforesaid.

30. The Provincial Health Officer may from time to time adopt such regulations, and make such orders, and give such directions regarding smallpox in places outside of the said Cities as he may see fit, and any such regulations, orders and directions shall be carried out by the Local Boards respectively.

31. The trustees, governors, directors or other officers or persons having at any time the control or management of any hospital or dispensary receiving aid from the public funds of this Province, shall keep at all times in such hospital or dispensary an adequate supply of vaccine matter for the following purposes, viz.:

First.—For the vaccination, by a legally qualified medical practitioner attached to such hospital or dispensary, at the expense of the same, of all poor persons, and at their own expense of all other persons, who attend at such hospital or dispensary for that purpose, during one day in every week; the fee to be charged for such vaccination not in any case to exceed fifty cents, and to be used and applied for the benefit of the hospital or dispensary:

Second.—For the purpose of furnishing, on application, to each and every legally qualified medical practitioner, such reasonable quantities of the said matter as he from time to time requires:

Third.—For the purpose of furnishing, on application, to the Indian Agent, or his assistant, such reasonable quantities of the said matter as he may from time to time require for the use and benefit of any settlement of Indians.

32. Any Local Board of Health may, subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, may issue regulations for taking possession of any land, or any unoccupied building thereon, for any of the purposes mentioned in these Rules; but such regulations shall not authorize the taking or obtaining for the hospital of any Municipality any lands or buildings outside the limits of such Municipality.

33. In case of actual or apprehended emergency, such possession may be taken without a prior agreement with the owner of the land or building, and without his consent, and may be retained for such period as may appear to the Board to be necessary.

34. Where possession is taken without the consent of the owner, the Board shall, within five days thereafter, give notice thereof to the owner. In the event of the owner not being known, or not being resident within the Province, or of his residence therein being unknown to the Board, such Board shall cause the notice to be published for two insertions in some local newspaper having a circulation within the municipality wherein the property is situate, and shall mail to the last known address (if any) of the owner a copy of the notice in a registered letter, prepaid, and such publication shall be sufficient notice to the owner.

35. The owner of any land or building shall be entitled to compensation for the use and occupation thereof, including any damages arising from such use and occupation, such compensation to be agreed upon between the Board and the owner; and in case they do not agree, the Judge of the County Court of the County wherein the property is situate shall summarily determine the amount of the compensation, and the terms of payment, in such manner, and after giving such notices, if any, as he sees fit.

36. Where any resistance or forcible opposition is offered or apprehended to possession being taken of any land or building under these Rules, the Judge of the County Court may, without notice to any person, issue his warrant to the Sheriff of the County, or to any other person, as he may deem most suitable, requiring him to put the Board, their or his servants or agents, in possession, and to put down such resistance or opposition, which the Sheriff or Bailiff (taking with him sufficient assistance) shall accordingly do.

37. No land or building to be used as a hospital, or hospital tent, for the purposes of these Rules, shall be nearer than 150 yards to an inhabited dwelling.

38. It shall be lawful for the Trustees of any Public School or High School, to provide that no child shall be permitted to attend school without producing a certificate of successful vaccination, or that the child is insusceptible of vaccination.

39. Any person wilfully contravening any provision of these rules, or wilfully disobeying, or failing to obey any general or special regulation, direction or order of the Provincial Health Officer, or Municipal Health Officer, or Inspector by law, or according to these rules, shall be subject forthwith to arrest and detention, without warrant or process by any constable or peace officer, and shall also be liable, upon summary conviction (if no other penalty is herein provided), to a fine of fifty dollars, or to imprisonment not exceeding three months, with or without hard labour, or at the discretion of the convicting Magistrate to both fine and imprisonment, and any city constable or peace officer disobeying, or failing to obey, the lawful orders of the Provincial Health Officer, or the Municipal Health Officer, shall be subject to dismissal forthwith by the Provincial Health Officer, and thereafter during the term of office of the Provincial Health Officer the Corporation shall no longer employ any such constable or peace officer.

40. It shall be the duty of every medical practitioner who shall attend upon or know of any case of small-pox to forthwith give notice of the particulars of the case to the Board of Health or to the Provincial Health Officer or Municipal Health Officer, as the case may require; and every householder, knowing that a person within his house is infected with smallpox, shall likewise immediately give notice.

41. Nothing in these Rules shall be deemed to supercede any law, rule, or regulation heretofore promulgated by lawful authority, and not inconsistent with these Rules.

42. These Regulations may be cited as the "Provincial Health Rules, 1892."

Dated at Victoria, this 11th day of July, A.D. 1892.

By Command.
A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

SCHEDULE A.

CERTIFICATE OF VACCINATION.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that , the child of aged, , of Ward, in the City of *(or as the case may be)*, has been successfully vaccinated by me

(Signed) *A. B.*

Dated this day of , 18 .

SCHEDULE B.

CERTIFICATE OF UNFITNESS FOR VACCINATION.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am of opinion that , the child of , of Ward, in the City of *(or as the case may be)*, aged , is not now in a fit and proper state to be successfully vaccinated, and I do hereby postpone the vaccination until the day of

Signed), *A.B.*

Dated this day of , 189 .

SCHEDULE C.

CERTIFICATE OF INSUSCEPTIBILITY TO VACCINE DISEASE.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am of opinion that , the child of , of Ward, in the City of *(or as the case may be)*, is insusceptible of the vaccine disease.

(Signed) *A. B.*

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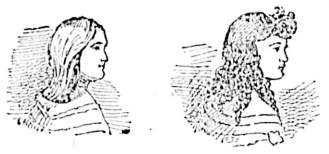

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Dominion Steamer Sir James Douglas Arrives in Port—Points on Her Trip.

Passengers For San Francisco—City of Topeka to Pass Direct to the Sound.

The Dominion steamer Sir James Douglas arrived in port yesterday afternoon after a week's cruise near Vancouver. Buoys were laid in the North Arm, Fraser River, and the beacons painted in the first Narrows. Whilst at Vancouver it was reported to Captain Walbran that the lost red buoy from the Fraser River had been found in Jervis Inlet, near Thunder Bay, it having drifted northerly, with stone attached, nearly 60 miles. After coaling at Departure Bay, the Douglas proceeded to Thunder Bay on Sunday last, and was fortunate in securing the buoy, when it was towed back to the Fraser River and delivered to the snag boat Samson, which will have it relaid. A fresh gale from the southeast and heavy rain was experienced from Melaspina Strait to the Sandheads. The lighthouses on the west coast will be visited by the Douglas on her next trip.

Steamer Princess Louise sailed for the Skeena River and way ports last evening, carrying with her only a few passengers and considerable freight.

Bark Lizzie Bell is ready for sea.

H.M.S. Warspite left last evening on her West Coast cruise. All are well on board.

Schooner Halcyon has gone on the ways for an overhauling. She will be ready for sea in a few days.

The following passengers left on the steamer Walla Walla for San Francisco yesterday morning: Miss Glason, Miss Bertha Flett, W. Beauchamp, C. Strauss, Mrs. Webb and three children, Miss Ross, Mrs. Dixi H. Ross, Miss Chambers, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. T. R. Simpson, F. W. Simpson, J. M. Simpson and C. A. Hill

Steamer Islander, Capt. Irving, is expected to arrive from Alaska to-day.

Steamer Rainbow, which has for several months past been tied up to Spratt's wharf, yesterday received a call into service. She will run between here and the Fraser river until the Rithet is ready to resume her work.

Steamer Mexico sailed for Alaska at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. She took no passengers from this port, and her freight from here amounted chiefly to 100 sacks of rice.

R. P. Rithet & Co., the Victoria agents for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, sent a telegram to Nanaimo yesterday to be delivered to the City of Topeka, when she arrives from Alaska, giving her orders not to call at Victoria, but pass on to the Sound.

Steamer Alert and scow returned from Port Angeles yesterday morning.

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Scr. Minnie	"	N. P. O.

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Str. Alert	"	Nanaimo.

THE CROFTER SCHEME.

(The Examiner, Manchester, June 22.

Parliament is doing excellent work in the little time that is left to it before the dissolution. Some good bills had necessarily to be abandoned owing to the shortening of the session, but the fact that many have been passed, or are on the point of being passed, must not be overlooked. Besides such important measures as the Small Holdings bill and the Irish Education bill, which are rapidly approaching the safe haven of the statute book, a whole host of minor but useful bills are being converted into acts and added to the splendid record of the Government's legislative achievements. One of the least pretentious of these smaller measures is the British Columbia Loan bill, which came before the House of Commons last night. It is not, however, by any means the least beneficient. Under its rather misleading title is embraced a proposal which will certainly do something, and may do much towards the solution of the Crofter problem.

The people who have studied the question closely recognize that in emigration lies the true remedy for a great deal of distress which exists in the Highlands; and the Government are proving themselves real friends of the Crofters by helping forward a project for their transfer from Scotland to British Columbia. The Premier of British Columbia, who is now in London, has given an account of the manner in which it was intended to carry out the scheme. For some years his Government have seen that there was an opening for colonies of fishermen on the seaboard of British Columbia, if only an arrangement could be made for the disposal of their fish. To meet this difficulty a commercial company has been formed to provide the fishermen with boats and implements for deep sea fishing, to receive the fish caught from day to day, and to send it on to the markets of the United States and Canada. The Government of British Columbia will take a thousand to twelve hundred Crofter families from Scotland, and make homes for them at suitable points on the sea board. In addition to the fishing there will be employment for the emigrants in various associated industries, such as preserving, the extracting of oil, the manufacturing of fertilisers, and in agricultural pursuits.

The Crofters will repay the advances made on their behalf by easy instalments spread over a long period, at the end of which they will become the proprietors of their holdings. It is estimated that the cost to the British Columbian Government will be £150 per family; and the object of the Bill introduced by Mr. Goschen is to guarantee a loan of £150,000 for the purposes of the scheme. Mr. Alpheus Cleophas Morton, the member for Peterborough, who probably knows as little of the Crofter question as of most others in which he interferes, moved the rejection of the bill, advocating a home colonization scheme. But, as Mr. Balfour pointed out, the natural conditions of the Highlands do not admit of profitable small proprietary cultivation. There can be no doubt that many of the Crofters will vastly improve their position, if they emigrate to British Columbia on the favorable terms which are to be offered to them, and, as the bill was read a second time by a large majority, and will in a few days become law, it is to be hoped that the colonization scheme will soon be in operation.

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A BY-LAW

In Aid of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company.

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of an Act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia passed at the last session, intituled, "The Victoria & Sidney Railway Act, 1892," a company was incorporated with power to lay out, construct, maintain and operate a line of railway from some convenient and accessible point within the City of Victoria by the most feasible and available engineering route to the Townsite of Sidney in the District of North Saanich.

AND WHEREAS, under and by virtue of another Act of the said Legislature passed at the last session thereof, intituled, "The Victoria & Sidney Railway Subsidy Act, 1892," power was taken by the Government of British Columbia to guarantee the payment of interest, until maturity, at two per cent. per annum on bonds of the said railway company, issued to an amount not exceeding $300,000, or its equivalent in sterling money, the principal of such bonds to be payable not later than 25 years from their date.

AND WHEREAS, under and by virtue of section 101, sub-sections 2, 3 and 4 of the Municipal Act, 1892, the Council in every Municipality is authorized from time to time to make by-laws among other things for endorsing and guaranteeing the payment of any debentures or interest on any debentures to be issued by any railway or tramway company, constructed or proposed to be constructed, either wholly within the limits or partly within the limits and partly without, for the money by the mborrowed, and for assessing and levying, from time to time upon the whole rateable property of the Municipality a sum sufficient to discharge the debt or engagements so contracted.

AND WHEREAS the said Railway Company have applied to the Corporation of the City of Victoria for a guarantee of payment of interest on certain of the bonds of the said company upon the railway proposed to be constructed by the said company, by virtue of the said charter, to the amount of 3 per cent. on the sum of $300,000 00, for a period of 25 years.

AND WHEREAS, under and by virtue of the foregoin recited Act, intituled the "Victoria and Sidney Railway Subsidy Act, 1892," provision is made in clause 2 thereof that in case, at any time, an agreement is entered into by the Company with the Corporation of the City of Victoria for the furnishing by the said Corporation of a guarantee of payment of interest to a further amount of two or more per centum, on the bonds of the Company, up to not more than $300 000, the Government may make such arrangements for permitting the said Corporation to share any security taken by them for advances hereunder, and such provisions as to the manner of holding the same as to them may seem fit.

AND WHEREAS the said Company was thereby empowered to charge its undertaking and its tolls and property, real and personal, with the repayment of all the moneys paid by the Provincial Government in respect of the guarantee thereby authorized second and subject only to the charge given in favor of the bondholders under the Company's Act of Incorporation, and with further power to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to enter into all agreements which might be necessary for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the said Act.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable that a guarantee of payment of interest on bonds by the said Corporation should be made, and an agreement to that effect entered into by the said Corporation with the said company, and that an arrangement should be made by the said Corporation with the said Government for permission to the said Corporation to share any security taken by the said Government for advances by them and by the said Corporation and otherwise as provided by the said Act.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $9,000.00 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the amount of the said guarantee in the event of the said Corporation being called upon to pay the same.

AND WHEREAS the whole amount of the rateable land and improvements of real property of the Municipality, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $17,563,148.00.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of half a mill on the dollar for paying the amount of such guarantee in the event of the Corporation being called upon to pay the same.

AND WHEREAS the total amount of such guarantee in the event of the Corporation being called upon to pay the same is $9,000.00.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:—

1. There shall be assessed and levied in each year an equal special rate of one-half of one mill on the dollar in addition to all other rates to be levied in each year for the payment of the interest payable under said guarantee.

2. The amount of such special rate shall be collected in each year from time to time as the said Corporation may be called upon to pay the amount of the said guarantee.

3. The Corporation of the City of Victoria shall guarantee interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the bonds of the Victoria & Sidney Railway Company to the amount of $300,000.00 for a period not exceeding twenty-five years from the date of this By-law going into effect, under and subject to the conditions prescribed in this By-law.

4. Any sum or sums of money which may hereafter be paid by the Corporation this guarantee shall be a first charge upon undertaking, tolls and property of the Company, subject only to the said bonds and to such division thereof as between the Government of British Columbia and the Corporation as may be agreed upon by the said Government and the said Corporation, and the acceptance of the benefit of this By-law by the said Company shall be deemed conclusive evidence of the assent of the said Company to all the terms of this By-law.

5. All the moneys obtained from the proceeds of the said bonds in respect of which interest is guaranteed by the said Corporation shall be applied by the said Company in payment of the right of way, construction, equipment of the said railway and expenses incidental thereto.

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor for the time being of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to endorse, or cause to be endorsed, on the said bonds so proposed to be issued by the said railway company the guarantee in the form and manner prescribed in the memorandum of agreement set forth in the schedule attached to this by-law, and for the Clerk of the said Corporation to countersign and seal the said endorsements.

7. This by-law is passed upon the express condition that the said Company shall actually and bona fide commence the work of construction of the said railway on or before the first day of October, 1892, and thereafter prosecute the same with reasonable diligence until the completion of the railway ready for active operation; in any event such date of completion not to be later than the first day of September, 1894, and that a failure to observe such time limit or limits shall render the Company liable to a penalty of One Hundred Dollars ($100) per day for every day beyond such time limits the Company shall be in default in commencing or completing the said road, which said penalty may be recovered by action in any Court of competent jurisdiction at the suit of the Corporation or Government aforesaid.

8. The said Company shall not directly or indirectly employ Chinese upon, about or in connection with the work of construction, and in the event of so doing, or of any of the said Company's employes or any sub-contractor under them so doing the Company shall be liable to a penalty of ten dollars ($10) for each day for each Chinese so employed, to be recovered as specified in Clause 7 of this By-Law.

9. The Company shall not pay any dividends to any shareholder or other person so long as any money remains due or owing to the said Government or the Corporation of the City of Victoria in respect of the said guarantee.

10. The said Railway so to be constructed shall be of a standard guage and to be operated by steam power, and one train per day (Sundays excepted) shall be run over the said line from each end thereof.

11 Plans of the location of so much of the line and terminal works of the said Railway as shall be within the limits of the City of Victoria shall be filed by the Company in the office of the City Clerk, and shall be subject to the approval of the Municipal Council before any work of construction shall be proceeded with within such City limits.

12. All expenses connected with, or incidental to the passage of this by law, shall be borne and paid by the said company to the corporation of the City of Victoria before this by-law shall be submitted to the ratepayers.

13. No contract in connection with the construction of the said proposed railway shall be let to any person or persons, firm or corporation, who have not been for over six months prior to the date of calling for tenders for the said contract, resident or residents of the said Province, from the date of receiving tenders for the said work.

14. This by-law is subject to the agreement made between the Government of the Province of British Columbia, and the Corporation of the City of Victoria, and the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, in the words and figures set forth in the schedule hereto, which schedule is hereby incorporated herewith, and made part of this by-law.

15. This by-law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the municipality, in the manner provided in the Municipal Act, 1892, and shall take effect on the 25th day of July, 1892.

SCHEDULE.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made and entered into the seventh day of July, one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-two, between the Victoria & Sidney Railway Company hereinafter called the Company of the first part, the Corporation of the City of Victoria, hereinafter called the Corporation of the second part, and the Minister of Finance and Agriculture, acting for and on behalf of the Province of British Columbia, hereinafter called the Minister of the third part.

WHEREAS, The Company are duly incorporated under the provisions of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Act, 1892, and in and by the said act the Company are empowered to borrow money on mortgage or on bond or either and they may in manner prescribed in the act issue bonds not exceeding twenty thousand dollars ($20,000.00) per mile of railway, payable at such time and in such manner and in such place or places in Canada or elsewhere, and bear such rate of interest not exceeding eight per cent (8 per cent) per annum, as the Directors may think proper.

AND WHEREAS, by section one (1) of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Subsidy Act of 1892," it is provided that the Government of British Columbia may guarantee the payment of interest until maturity at 2 per cent. per annum on bonds of the company issued to an amount not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000) or its equivalent in sterling money, but subject nevertheless to the conditions and restrictions in the said section contained, and the company are thereby empowered to charge its undertaking and its tolls and property, real and personal, then existing, or at any time thereafter acquired, with the repayment of all moneys to be paid by the Provincial Government in respect of the guarantee thereby authorized, subject to the rights of the bond-holders for payment of the principal of the bonds at maturity.

AND WHEREAS, by section two of the last mentioned act it is provided that "in case at any time an agreement is entered into by the company with the Corporation of the City of Victoria for the furnishing by the said Corporation of a guarantee of interest to a further amount of two or more per cent. upon the bonds of the company up to not more than three hundred thousand dollars, the Government may make such arrangements for permitting the said Corporation to share any security taken by them for advances hereunder, and such provisions as to the manner of holding the same as to them seem fit."

AND WHEREAS, the Company have applied to the Government to give such guarantee as aforesaid of interest on the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000.00) for a term of twenty-five (25) years, at the rate of two per cent. (2 per cent.) per annum, and agreed in consideration of such guarantee to pledge its undertaking and its said tolls and property as security therefor, which the said Government has agreed to do and to accept.

AND WHEREAS, similar application has been made by the Company to the Corporation to guarantee the interest to a further amount of three per cent. (3 per cent.) upon the Company's bonds up to not more than three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000.00) which the Corporation have agreed to do but subject, nevertheless, to ratification by the Ratepayers of the City of Victoria in manner prescribed by section one hundred and eleven (111) of the Municipal Act, 1892.

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH, that in pursuance of the premises it is hereby agreed by and between the several parties hereto, as follows, viz.:—

1. The Company shall commence the construction of their said intended railway on or before the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in default of so doing this agreement shall be void and of no effect.

2. The Company shall within ninety days (90) after the date hereof proceed to issue the whole of the bonds authorized by the said Act of Incorporation, payable in twenty-five years from date, bearing interest at five per cent. per annum, but not to exceed in the whole the sum of three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000.00), such bonds to bear coupons for the half yearly payments of the interest thereon, which bonds, subject to the provisions of section one (1) and two (2) of the said "Victoria & Sidney Railway Subsidy Act, 1892," shall bear the following endorsement, which endorsement shall be signed by the Minister and the Mayor for the time being of the City of Victoria, and be countersigned and sealed by the Clerk of the Corporation. "The payment of the interest but not the capital of this bond at the rate of two per cent (2 per cent) per annum half-yearly on the first days of March and September in each year is undertaken and guaranteed by the Government of the Province of British Columbia for twenty-five years from the first day of September, A. D., 1892, to the first day of September, A. D., 1917, and the further payment of interest but not the capital of this bond at the rate of three per cent per annum on the days and for the time aforesaid is undertaken and guaranteed by the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

3. The Government and Corporation shall guarantee in manner aforesaid the payment of the interest on the bonds so agreed to be issued as aforesaid in the proportions and at the times aforesaid, and the signature of the "Minister" and of the Mayor, respectively, to the coupons may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac-simile.

4 The work of construction shall be placed in charge of a competent engineer or engineers selected by the Company, and approved of in writing by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works on behalf of the Government, and by the Mayor of the City of Victoria on behalf of the Corporation, and the Company may remove such engineer at pleasure and appoint another engineer, subject also to the same approval.

5. The aforesaid bonds, when issued, shall be handed by the Company to the "Minister," who shall have them duly noted in a book to be kept for that purpose, and immediately upon completion of such noting he shall deposit the bonds in one of the charter banks carrying on business in Victoria, to be approved by the parties hereto.

6. The Company shall negotiate the sale of their said bonds as soon as possible after their issue, having due regard in disposing of them to the best advantage, and may, with the approval of the Minister and Corporation, employ such agent or agents as they may deem proper.

7. The proceeds of the sale from time to time of the said bonds shall be deposited in one or more chartered banks in the City of Victoria at interest to a special account in the name of the said Railway Company, and shall be drawn out by cheques of the Railway Company, but no such cheques shall be paid by such bank unless attached thereto is a certificate of the engineer of the said Railway for the time being, countersigned by the City Engineer and by the Surveyor General of the Province, specifying the nature and character of the work, supplies, materials or other expenditure for which such cheque is given, and such certificates shall be retained by such bank.

8. All moneys paid by the Government of British Columbia and the Corporation respectively in respect of the aforesaid guarantees shall be considered as a debt due from the Company to the said Government and Corporation respectively, and shall be taken and considered and are hereby made a charge upon the undertaking, and the tolls and the property of the Company real and personal now existing, or any time hereafter acquired, and the Minister of Finance and Agriculture for the time being shall be held and deemed to be a mortgagee or incumbrancer upon the said property in trust nevertheless as to two fifths thereof for the Government of British Columbia and as to three fifths in trust for the Corporation.

9. The Company shall upon demand made by the said Minister execute to him a legal mortgage of all the aforesaid property of the Company as security for the repayment of all moneys paid by the said Government and Corporation respectively in respect of the said guarantees and the costs, charges and expenses they may be respectively put to, or incur in connection therewith, and the said Minister shall hold the said Mortgage and all other securities, if any, of the Company which may come into his hands and the moneys thereby secured in the proportion and upon the trust herein before mentioned and declared, and which said mortgage shall contain all the covenants, powers and conditions usually inserted in mortgages of real and personal property together with the additional power of sale in default of the Company operating their said Railway for a period of three months, whilst any moneys shall be owing by the Company to the Government or Corporation respectively in respect of the said guarantees.

10. The said Company hereby agree to complete their said Railway on or before the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, and thereafter to continually maintain and operate the same so long as any of their said bonds shall remain unredeemed within the said period of twenty-five years.

11. Provided always that Chinese shall not be employed in the construction of the said railway, and provided also that in case a by-law to ratify this agreement on the part of the Corporation shall not be submitted within sixty days from the date hereof for the vote of the ratepayers, under section one hundred and eleven of the said Municipal Act, 1892, or if such by-law shall be submitted and shall be defeated at the polls, or shall not be carried, then, and in such case, this agreement, and everything herein contained shall be void, and of no effect.

12. The Company shall not pay any dividends to any shareholder, or other person, so long as any moneys remain due or owing to the said Government, or the Corporation of the City of Victoria, in respect of the said guarantee.

13. The books of the Company shall be open to the inspection of any person authorized to inspect the same by either the said Government or the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at all times.

14. The Company shall operate and run over the said line of railway when constructed at least one train each way per diem (Sundays excepted) for the whole length of the railway.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Victoria & Sidney Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of Victoria have hereunto respectively set their corporate seals and the said Minister has set his hand and seal the day and year first above written.

JULIUS BRETHOUR,
President.

[L.S.] ROBERT IRVING,
Secretary Victoria & Sydney Railway Company.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor of the City of Victoria. [L.S.]

J. H. TURNER,
Minister of Finance and Agriculture

Passed the Municipal Council the 5th day of July, A.D. 1892.

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The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1892.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B.C., July 13.

Sun rises.....4.14 a.m. | Sun sets.....7:57 p.m.
Moon sets 10:29 a.m.

Day of the year, 194th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

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1 a. m.,	51°	Mean 55°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
a. m.,	52°		
9 a. m.,	51°	Highest 60°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m.,	57°		1 p.m.—4 miles E.
5 p. m.,	59°	Lowest 50°	9 p.m.—12 miles S.W.
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Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—S S Fox, Jno Reynolds, J B Daly, Mrs Daly, J McKierson, C M Baldwin, V C Lacy, Jno Liebes, Mrs. McKilligan, Dr Conouer, J E Haston, J W Armstrong, A H Jones, D McDonald, T Christie, W J Macauley, T Osborne, W B Wiley, W T Davenport, D Murphy, J Ramsay, D E Maity.

Per steamer YOSEMITE, from Vancouver—Jas McArthur, J Nicholson, W N Winsley, Thos Winsley, C Beasley Jos G Beattie, E M Holbrook, Geo Bowack Children, Richard K Foster, J Boucher, W P Wisby, C T Todd, J Robs n, P Welsh, Major Wilson, Jas Hickey and wife, Saml Patton, T Atkins and wife, A Morsir and wife, H Winsby, Miss Davis, J Penick, R C Keene, W S Jones.

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No smallpox at the Balmoral in the past or present. Last week in Victoria of Florence Marvin, who predicted the great Seattle fire. Parties wishing to consult this gifted lady must embrace this opportunity; tells, past, present and future. Rooms 36 and 37, Balmoral.

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Return of the Nymphe.

H.M.S. Nymphe, Captain Turner, is at Nanaimo, having come down from Behring Sea. She left Victoria on June 5, to take Mr. McCoun, who was on board the Quadra at the time of her mishap, to the sealing grounds, on behalf of the Dominion Government. Arriving at Behring Sea, Mr. McCoun was turned over to the Melpomene. The trip of the Nymphe was an uneventful one. She called in at Port Etches about June 18, but the Coquitlam had not then made her appearance in those waters. The first those on board heard of the seizure was at Alert Bay, on the return trip, and the news took them by surprise. They did not see any of the sealers. Mr. McCoun remains with the Melpomene. Capt. Turner awaits instructions from the Admiral.

Reduction in Milk.

Owing to the high price of milk, ask your grocer for Highland Brand Evaporated Cream and dilute to taste. It makes a delicious, rich cream for half the price of ordinary cow's cream.

THE PORT QUARANTINED.

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Allen. The note read: "This man has smallpox. Have him quarantined." Jailer Allen did not let the man stay long in the barracks, and had started him down the street when Sergt. Levin came along and the matter was reported to him. Sergt. Levin overtook the man and asked him where he lived. "At the Osborne House," was the reply, and then Levin said, "You go home and go to bed." The man did so and the house was then quarantined; but there are a good many people who are not entirely satisfied with such a loose way of dealing with such cases. The Attorney General has also had this case reported to him.

AN INSUFFICIENT STAFF.

There is an idea prevalent that the city sanitary staff is not sufficient to enforce the necessary quarantine of all houses, etc., and it is considered essential to draw the attention of the city authorities to the deficiency. Plenty of men can be had for guard and patrol duty, and certainly, now that the Government has issued such complete regulations, a strong effort should be put forth to enforce them. Those who know say there are not half enough men now employed to do the work, and if this is a fact the staff should be immediately increased.

SUPT. HUSSEY IS CHIEF.

In order to prevent any possibility of conflict of authority between the Provincial and City Police, in enforcing the regulations, etc., it is well to understand that the direction and control of the City Police, as well as of the Provincial, is vested in the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the Province. This authority is set forth in Section 261, of the Municipalities Act, 1892, which reads:

"The police of all municipalities shall, within the limits of such municipalities, be under the direction of the Superintendent of Police of the Province."

Superintendent Hussey is, therefore, to all intents and purposes, Chief, and there is no disputing his authority, and the City and Provincial Police will work together in harmony, as they have been doing, all the better for knowing that they are practically under the one head.

THE OFFICIAL RECORD.

At midnight the COLONIST called up Dr. Milne's residence to ascertain the exact number of cases reported, etc.. The Medical Health Officer gives 47 as the official record with four deaths, two of which occurred to-day. The afternoon bulletin was was as follows:—"Three new cases were reported at my office to-day. One of those, an Indian, who was removed from his lodgings in the Stronach cabins to the Jubilee quarantine station. There have been four deaths so far; two last night, J. Giles, at 106½ Yates Street, and a woman "Georgie," at the Refuge Home. Both were buried before daylight this morning. There are now (3 p.m.) 47 cases officially reported. They are nearly all of a mild nature. The work of removing patients yet in the city to the quarantine station is going on as fast as circumstances will permit. The friends of the patients could facilitate matters considerably by assisting instead of obstructing the men who are engaged in removing the patients. We have failed as yet to find any Chinese cases; one reported this morning has been removed by his friends to some unknown place.

DR. MILNE,
Health Officer.

THE VANCOUVER SIDE THE CASE.

VANCOUVER, July 12.—(Special). Passengers by the Yosemite were forbidden to land this morning, until Health Inspector Huntly and the medical men satisfied themselves that no affected persons were on board, as the authorities were intent upon their duties. The SS. Boscowitz, from Victoria, steamed up to the city wharf, and some of the Union Steamship people are said to have prevented her crew from landing until the authorities arrived.

On Friday last startling rumors reached here of an alleged smallpox epidemic in Victoria. The council met at 11 a.m. and also in the evening to consider the matter. At both meetings it was decided to secure all the legitimate information possible. Stringent quarantine measures were only mentioned. On Saturday the aldermen were approached by excited citizens demanding, imploring and entreating them to quarantine Victoria. The afternoon paper, without positively declaring itself, added kerosene to the flames, and the council met again Saturday morning. In the words of Ald. Odlum, "they were equally divided as to whether they should quarantine the capital or not." At that meeting they received word from Westminster that the Royal City Council would meet them that afternoon to co-operate with them. Westminster took the initiative, though Vancouver had been thinking of the same scheme. The Westminster Council were as a body more moderately inclined, particularly Mayor Townsend. It was decided not to quarantine. Monday morning word was received that San Francisco and the State of Washington were both taking steps to quarantine British Columbia. The Council again held an emergency meeting, and at that session it was decided to wait for a full attendance at the regular meeting in the evening. At the evening session Alderman Odlum moved to quarantine Victoria. Ald. Cannon moved in amendment a direct negative. An amendment to the amendment, "That still further particulars be received from the Attorney-General before action be taken,' was carried by a majority of one. This morning the Board of Health met to consider the matter of the city making good losses sustained by smallpox patients. While in session the following telegram arrived from Seattle:

"Strict quarantine declared, to-day, against Victoria. Will you co-operate?"

The ostensible message as well as the threat between the lines was carefully considered. The pressure was too great, and the gentlemen of the health board gave way. Victoria was quarantined on the spot, and Westminster notified to make the declaration come from the four cities of Vancouver, New Westminster, Seattle and Nanaimo, as Nanaimo had already practically quarantined Vancouver as well as Victoria, and New Westminster had promised to co-operate.

Stickels is getting along nicely. His case is a mild one, and he is being efficiently nursed at Deadman's Island. Every hope is entertained of his recovery.

The Westminster Council in session tonight decided for the present to enforce the provincial regulations. They will meet the Vancouver Council here on Wednesday for further action.

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THE CAPTAIN'S STORY.

Report of the Coquitlam Case Received at Washington.

The following Washington telegram appears in the Seattle Telegraph, under date of July 11: "Captain Hooper, commanding the revenue steamer Corwin, has made a brief report of the seizure of the British steamer, Coquitlam. He has turned the vessel over to the marshal at Sitka and will transmit a full report as soon as possible. He estimates the value of the vessel and cargo at $100,000.

"It appears that the Coquitlam entered a harbor of the United States, not a port of entry, without a permit from the customs authorities, transferred and received a cargo in violation of law and was engaged in towing within the jurisdiction of the United States, and has for these acts subjected herself and cargo to confiscation and the officers and crew to fine and imprisonment. It also appears that the captain and owners of the Coquitlam were warned by Collector Milne, of Victoria, before sailing that they would run great risk of what they proposed to do. He advised them to make a tranfer on the high sea, but they refused to be governed by his advice, and he states that the United States authorities have several grounds for the seizure. The sealers of Victoria concede that the seizure is a blow which will cut off further sealing for this year, as only twelve of the largest Canadian vessels had received supplies before the Coquitlam was taken in charge by the United States.

"The revenue cutter Corwin, and the remainder, were compelled to give up their trips and return to port. It is reported that the poachers have been unusually active, and that the weather is favorable. The slaughter was indiscriminate and unrestrained, and as a consequence, the catch to date aggregates upwards of 34,000 seals, the largest ever made in the North Pacific."

PERSONALS.

Geo. A. Huff, Alberni, is at the Oriental.

U. A. Peneby, Augusta, is at the Victoria.

Charles Wilson, barrister, is in the city.

W. S. Jones, Vancouver, is at the Victoria.

T. J. Cowen, San Francisco, is at the Oriental.

Miss Carrie Fisher, Kansas, is at the Victoria.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Hills has returned home from Hope.

John Percival, Whatcom, is staying at the Victoria.

Mrs. W. Denny and daughters have gone over the Sound.

George Liebes, San Francisco, is registered at the Driard.

Miss Coward returned from the Mainland on Monday night.

M. T. and Mrs. Johnston were passengers from the Fraser by the Louise.

Miss S. Chambers, who has been visiting Victoria friends, returned home yesterday.

Major Wilson and C. F. Todd returned from the Mainland in the Yosemite last evening.

P. Watelet, Tumbo Island, is at the Driard. He has just returned from the coal beds of that region and reports everything progressing favorably.

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